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# DIGEST

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Saudi Arabia - An Expanding Market For U.S. Farm Products (see p. 4). U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia increased from \$32 million in 1972 to \$165 million in 1976 and should top \$200 million in 1977. Higher petroleum revenues generated an economic boom in Saudi Arabia causing demand for imported food to accelerate. Total agricultural imports by Saudi Arabia from all countries increased from \$370 million in 1973 to nearly \$1 billion in 1976 and might reach \$1.3 billion in 1977. Imports of meat, dairy products, animal feed and processed foods are growing faster than those of cereals which dominated food imports prior to 1974.

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U.S.-Canadian Agricultural Trade in 1976 (see p. 20). U.S. agricultural exports to Canada increased 14 percent to \$1.5 billion while agricultural imports from Canada increased 22 percent to \$600 million. Trade in livestock and livestock products was particularly active in calendar 1976. The largest increases in U.S. exports occurred in beef, veal, and pork. Exports of oilcake and meal were also up. U.S. agricultural imports from Canada consisted mainly of live animals and meats which accounted for 30 percent of total U.S. agricultural imports.

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Agricultural Exports Gain 7-1/2 Percent In First 6 Months (see p. 25). A near-record \$2.3 billion in farm products was exported during March, raising the half-year cumulative value to \$12.7 billion. Soybeans, oilcake and meal, vegetable oil, cotton, animal feeds, hides, tallow, poultry meat, fruits, and vegetables registered gains from year-earlier levels.

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Record U.S. Agricultural Imports In March 1977 (see p. 62). A record \$1.3 billion in agricultural products was imported in March, raising the October-March 1976/77 total to \$6.4 billion. High coffee prices caused much of the increase as green coffee imports accounted for three-fourths of the total gain. However, the volume of coffee imported declined slightly from the October-March year-earlier period.

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International Price Highlights (see p. 93). In March, the Dow Jones commodity spot price index rose 9 percent as prices of soybeans and coffee gained sharply and grain prices moderated.



# SAUDI ARABIA: AN EXPANDING MARKET FOR U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS

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U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia reached \$165 million in 1976--up from \$110 million in 1975 and \$33 million in 1972. Saudi Arabia's total agricultural imports from all countries were valued at \$1 billion in 1976, double the 1974 value. Before other countries were attracted to selling farm products in Saudi Arabia, the U.S. share in some earlier years was higher. For example, the United States supplied 23.8 percent of Saudi agricultural imports valued at \$148 million in 1968 and 21.6 percent of the \$509 million for 1974 food imports.

Australia, the European Community, Latin America, Pakistan, Thailand, and India increased deliveries of agricultural commodities to Saudi Arabia in the past 2 years while imports from Lebanon, Iraq, Iran, and nearby African countries declined. Exporters from many countries were attracted to the buoyant Saudi market.

The quadrupling of petroleum prices in 1973 precipitated a boom in Saudi Arabia, the world's leading petroleum exporter. Total Saudi exports increased from \$7.7 billion in 1973 to \$31 billion in 1974, but retreated to \$28 billion in 1975. While some other members of OPEC cut back petroleum output and exports, Saudi Arabia allowed further expansion in petroleum extraction, and total exports reached \$35 billion in 1976. U.S. imports from Saudi Arabia rose from \$515 million in 1973 to \$5.2 billion in 1976--a tenfold increase. U.S. exports to Saudi Arabia were up from \$442 million in 1973 to \$2.7 billion in 1976--a sixfold increase. U.S. agricultural exports during this 3-year period rose from \$65.5 million to \$165 million--a gain of 152 percent. Yet, our agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia have been increasing far below the rate for manufactured products. The ratio of the value of U.S. petroleum imports from Saudi Arabia to the value of U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia rose from 7.9 in 1973 to 31.5 in 1976.

Growth in U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia during 1971-75 was primarily because of larger deliveries of cereals and products. Their share of U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia declined from 79 percent during 1971-75 to only 62 percent in 1976. Some of the big gains in 1976 came from expanding U.S. exports of frozen poultry, beef, animal feed, cooking oil, and various processed foods. U.S. agricultural exports are likely to become more diversified in 1977 as deliveries of meat and processed foods rise faster than deliveries of rice and wheat flour. Competition from other countries will be the major obstacle to large gains for U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia.

Total agricultural output in Saudi Arabia during 1976 was valued at almost \$1 billion because of higher prices for dates and fresh vegetables. Yields for fruits and vegetables in some irrigated areas are high by world standards. Most of the coarse grains, dates, and fresh vegetables consumed in Saudi Arabia are produced by local farmers, who also supply about half the meat and one-third of the wheat. Inputs are highly subsidized and marketing subsidies and bonus payments are provided by the Saudi Government.

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Per capita income in Saudi Arabia now exceeds \$6,000, and continues to rise. Government programs to spur development have resulted in full employment of skilled and semiskilled workers. Saudi Arabia's 1977 population of 7.5 million is about 55 percent urban. Agriculture provided employment for half of Saudi's population in 1976, although it accounted for only 3 percent of the GNP.

Characteristics of food consumption for urban residents are quite different from those for rural families. In urban areas, consumption of meat, imported fruit, bread, milk, vegetables, fruit juices, and processed foods is reported at least one-third higher than in rural areas. Rice, coarse grains, and dates are more important in the rural diet than in the urban diet which includes imported flour, meat, and processed foods.

Private importers in Jeddah import cereals, livestock, meat, and a wide variety of processed foods. Costs of unloading, storing, and distributing imported processed food for major firms in Jeddah are affected by high costs of equipment, warehouses, and labor. Retail prices for most processed foods are about triple the average price paid by importers, and prices for canned foods are usually higher in inland towns because of high distribution costs.

During 1976, Saudi Arabia spent only 3 percent of its \$35 billion in petroleum revenues for food imports. Wider distribution of income resulting from programs financed with petroleum revenues boost the demand for imported food in many ways.

Large construction projects and contracts for improvements in Saudi Arabia's infrastructure have opened many job opportunities for foreigners. About 1.5 million foreigners now live in Saudi Arabia, including about 1 million from neighboring Yemen.

Opportunities for and constraints on sales of U.S. farm products to Saudi Arabia vary depending on the commodity, the rate of growth in demand, local output, distribution facilities, and competition from foreign suppliers. The United States is Saudi Arabia's leading supplier of wheat flour, rice, vegetable oils, animal feed, and some processed foods.

Competition from European and Asian suppliers of processed food is keen. Since 1974, France, Denmark, and the Netherlands scored great gains in sales of frozen poultry; Australia and Brazil boosted their sales of various meat products. Italy, Spain, and Australia are shipping more canned fruits and vegetables.

### Trends and Competition for Imported Commodities

#### Wheat and Wheat Flour

Imports of wheat and wheat flour are increasing despite rising wheat production. Demand has accelerated because of rising incomes, improved distribution, and immigration. In terms of wheat equivalent, imports of wheat and flour combined increased from 272,031 tons valued at \$64 million in 1974 to a record 640,875 tons in 1976, valued at almost \$109 million.

Australia has dominated wheat imports since 1974. Imports of Australian wheat increased from 33,526 tons in 1974 to about 80,000 tons in 1976. Imports of U.S. wheat declined from 32,347 tons in 1973 to about 5,000 tons in 1976. Canada became a more important wheat supplier in 1976, providing 12,000 of the total import volume of 115,000 tons.

The United States supplied about 60 percent of the 307,863 tons of wheat flour imported in 1975, and nearly 58 percent of the estimated 378,600 tons in 1976. West German shipments of wheat flour to Saudi Arabia in 1976 were more than double the 37,439 tons shipped in 1975. Dutch exports of wheat flour to Saudi Arabia in 1976



were about one-fourth below record deliveries of 66,000 tons recorded in 1975. Imports of flour from Jordan were smaller in 1976 than the 4,720 tons received in 1975.

### Rice

Total rice imports increased from 137,350 tons in 1974 valued at \$85.7 million to more than 300,000 tons in 1976 for an estimated value of \$124 million. Imports of Thai rice increased from 76,000 tons in 1975 to about 125,000 tons in 1976. Thai rice was lower in price than U.S. supplies and sold well in rural areas.

U.S. rice exports to Saudi Arabia increased from 80,171 tons in 1975 to 116,700 tons in 1976; the value rose from \$37.1 million to \$49.0 million. U.S.-produced rice is popular in urban areas and along the Red Sea, and Basmati rice from Pakistan is popular in Eastern Province. Pakistan sent 47,540 tons of rice to Saudi Arabia in 1975 valued at \$37.0 million or \$778 per ton through a Government-to-Government arrangement. Government purchases of rice in bulk for sale at subsidized prices to private distributors helped buffer Saudi consumers from the impact of sharp hikes in world rice prices in 1973 and 1974. Government subsidies paid 10 percent of the import cost of rice in those 2 years for all purchases exceeding \$606 per ton, c.i.f., at Saudi ports. Subsidy payments dwindled in 1975 and 1976 as world rice prices declined.

A new mill constructed at Jeddah will polish imported U.S. brown rice. A byproduct of the polishing mill operations, rice bran will be used in animal feed in Saudi Arabia.

### Livestock and Meat

Total meat imports soared from only 20,244 tons in 1974 to about 46,000 tons in 1976; the value rose from \$23 million to \$52 million, respectively. Imports of frozen poultry doubled during this 1974-76 period, while imports of beef scored a fivefold increase and imports of mutton and canned meat more than quadrupled.

Booming consumer demand for meat, stagnating domestic output, and declining imports of live animals from traditional nearby African sources caused meat imports to accelerate. Recent immigrants have bolstered the demand for imported meat. Many Saudis prefer meat from local abattoirs where they are confident that the method of slaughter is according to Islamic customs.

Imports of live sheep and goats declined from a peak of 1.46 million head in 1972 to less than 1 million in 1974 and remained below expectations during the two following years. Sheep and goat imports from Somalia fell from 1.3 million head in 1972 to less than 800,000 head in 1974 and further declines were evident in 1975 and 1976.

Imports of live cattle have remained steady in recent years at about 60,000 head annually, coming mainly from the Sudan and Somalia. More than 50,000 camels are imported annually from these same sources.

Imports of frozen poultry increased from 17,991 tons in 1974 to about 36,000 tons in 1976. Imports of French poultry increased from 354 tons in 1974 to about 15,600 tons in 1975 and remained near that level in 1976.

Imports of frozen poultry from a variety of other sources helped offset the drastic decline in Lebanese shipments from a peak of 8,863 tons in 1974 to less than half this volume in 1975. Imports of Danish poultry increased from 332 tons in 1974 to about 2,000 tons in 1976. U.S. shipments of poultry surpassed 1,100 tons in 1976--up from 201 tons in 1974.



Beef and mutton imports have remained small in contrast to poultry imports, although the rate of growth has been faster. Total beef imports increased from 941 tons in 1974 to about 4,800 tons valued at \$10 million in 1976. Deliveries of Australian beef reached 3,482 tons in 1976--up from 519 tons in 1974.

Choice cuts of beef are served in large hotels and restaurants catering to tourists or foreign workers. Hotels and restaurants contributed to a rise in U.S. beef exports to Saudi Arabia from 101 tons in 1975 to 642 tons valued at \$2.3 million in 1976. Denmark is also an important supplier of beef and veal for luxury restaurants.

Australia supplied most of the imports of mutton which exceeded 2,000 tons in 1975 and in 1976. Somalia was the leading supplier of mutton prior to 1974.

Imports of canned meat increased from 789 tons in 1974 to almost 3,000 tons in 1976. Australian deliveries of canned meat rose from 105 tons to 681 tons during that period. Even larger imports were purchased in Latin America. U.S. exports of canned meat and luncheon meat to Saudi Arabia increased from 224 tons in 1975 to 337 tons in 1976 for a value of \$683,000.

### Fruits and Preparations

Saudi farmers produce about 240,000 tons of dates and 100,000 tons of other fruits annually. Imports of fresh fruit increased from 95,249 tons in 1972 to about 136,000 tons in 1976. Imports of apples declined from 28,315 tons in 1972 to 23,305 tons in 1974 because of smaller imports from Lebanon, and remained below the previous peak during the last 2 years.

Imports of oranges increased from 41,122 tons in 1972 to about 60,000 tons in 1976. Larger imports of oranges from Jordan, Egypt, and North Africa more than offset smaller shipments from Lebanon. The United States sent 4,100 tons of oranges to Saudi Arabia in 1975 for a value of \$905,000.

Imports of grapes increased from 2,753 tons in 1973 to about 8,000 tons in 1975 because of larger shipments from Jordan. Imports of pears jumped from 502 tons in 1973 to 1,704 tons in 1974 and remained strong in 1975 and 1976.

The United States, Greece, Australia, and Malaysia supply most of the imports of canned fruit which exceed 4,000 tons annually. U.S. exports of canned peaches to Saudi Arabia now exceed \$100,000 annually. Shipments of U.S. canned pears to Saudi Arabia increased from 41 tons in 1974 to 153 tons in 1976, making it our third major export market for that product. The United States supplied about one-sixth of Saudi Arabia's canned fruit imports in 1976.

Imports of fruit juices reached \$18 million in 1976--double the value in 1973. The United States accounted for about one-fifth of this value. Japan, Taiwan, Egypt, and India were other major suppliers.

U.S. exports of almonds to Saudi Arabia jumped from 45 tons in 1975 to 157 tons in 1976 valued at \$379,000. Prospects for sales of 5 gallon tins of U.S. almonds, walnuts, and pecans are excellent.

### Vegetables and Preparations

Saudi Arabia is one of the leading importers of canned and frozen vegetables in the Mideast. Rising domestic production caused a sharp decline in imports of potatoes, onions, and tomatoes. Imports of vegetable preparations in 1976 were almost double the 1973 level of 14,293 tons. Lebanon, Syria, and Spain were larger suppliers than the United States in 1973.



U.S. exports of frozen vegetables to Saudi Arabia increased from 285 tons in 1975 to 445 tons for a value of \$438,000 in 1976. Saudi Arabia ranks among our five major export markets for tomato juice, tomato puree, and pickles.

Imports of pulses averaged 14,000 tons annually during 1971-75 and moved to a higher level in 1976. Ethiopia, Thailand, and the European Community were major suppliers. U.S. exports of pulses to Saudi Arabia were up from 129 tons in 1975 to 431 tons in 1976 for a value of \$326,000.

#### Sugar and Products

Czechoslovakia, India, and France are important sources of Saudi sugar imports. Total sugar imports from all countries now exceed 120,000 tons annually, compared with only 31,300 tons in 1963. Larger Government purchases of sugar on the international market are likely in the future. New facilities to process bulk sugar into small packages for consumers are under construction.

Supermarkets in Saudi Arabia usually have some packaged sugar and various brands of honey imported from the United States. U.S. exports of honey to Saudi Arabia reached \$109,000 in 1976--double the 1973 value.

The value of U.S. exports of syrup to Saudi Arabia increased from \$103,000 in 1974 to \$1.5 million in 1976.

#### Oilseeds and Products

The Sudan sent about 20,000 tons of sesame and 500 tons of peanuts to Saudi Arabia annually during 1974-76. U.S. exports of peanut butter to Saudi Arabia increased from 98 tons in 1975 to 429 tons in 1976, raising the value from \$176,000 to \$703,000. U.S. exports of processed peanuts to Saudi Arabia increased from \$27,000 in 1974 to \$226,000 in 1976.

The European Community and United States supply most of Saudi Arabia's imports of vegetable oils. The Netherlands supplied 4,725 of the 11,908 tons of vegetable oils imported in 1974. U.S. exports of corn oil to Saudi Arabia jumped from 1,509 tons in 1974 to 6,447 tons in 1976.

#### Dairy Products

Shipments of dry milk by the Netherlands, Denmark, West Germany, and France tripled between 1972 and 1976. Imports of dairy products might reach \$60 million in 1977--up from \$42 million in 1976.

U.S. exports of fresh milk to Saudi Arabia totaled \$789,000 in 1976--down from \$1.3 million in 1975. Exports of U.S. cheese to Saudi Arabia reached 94 tons for \$264,000 in 1976, a relatively small volume in contrast to Australian deliveries of about 6,000 tons of cheese.

#### Processed Foods

Saudi Arabia is a major and rapidly growing market for a long list of U.S. processed foods. For example, U.S. exports of tomato catsup to Saudi Arabia increased from 84 tons in 1975 to 511 tons in 1976 for a value of \$511,000. The value for U.S. exports of soup, mayonnaise, cream milk substitutes, mustard, potato and corn chips, and various snack foods in 1976 was more than double the 1974 value.



## Outlook

The rapid rise in Saudi Arabia's food imports presents some highly favorable opportunities for developing new markets for U.S. farm exports. This is particularly true for exports of rice, many processed foods, frozen poultry, animal feed, and vegetable oils. Saudi Arabia is likely to remain one of the five major markets for U.S. wheat flour, rice, corn oil, fruit juices, and snack foods in 1977.

Further gains in U.S. exports of rice are likely to add about \$20 million to the value of our agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia in 1977. Spectacular gains for exports of many processed foods are also underway, but from a low base level. The total value for U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia is likely to surpass \$200 million in 1977 if no new breakthrough occurs in a major commodity. Large new sales of poultry, beef, coarse grains, wheat, or peanuts could push the value considerably higher.

Table 1 --Saudi Arabia: Agricultural imports, by quantity and value, annual 1971-76

Commodity	Quantity						Value					
	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
	-- Metric tons --						-- 1,000 dollars --					
Wheat flour .....	154,587	179,699	177,870	146,709	307,863	378,600:	17,941	19,071	29,529	45,011	76,517	88,700
Wheat .....	79,187	101,699	77,103	68,252	89,400	115,000:	8,492	11,273	13,904	18,994	20,182	20,000
Rice .....	200,341	125,349	131,415	137,350	240,171	304,000:	30,844	26,290	53,392	85,716	119,000	124,100
Corn .....	53,411	66,972	58,773	56,773	88,000	112,000:	4,926	5,006	6,485	9,791	12,315	14,500
Barley .....	47,589	14,338	22,829	16,006	22,000	20,000:	4,715	1,429	2,807	2,752	3,300	2,500
Sorghum & Millet .....	32,084	28,210	19,347	19,937	33,000	30,000:	2,520	1,500	1,660	2,280	4,400	3,000
Animal feed .....	15,400	18,907	18,258	27,252	42,450	48,000:	2,578	2,922	5,620	8,417	11,929	16,000
Sugar .....	93,055	114,887	104,946	114,542	120,000	121,000:	13,591	18,449	32,409	46,583	58,000	48,000
Tea .....	4,687	7,125	8,604	5,121	8,550	10,000:	6,945	10,708	12,365	8,223	18,600	23,000
Coffee .....	7,133	7,569	8,346	8,514	8,050	8,280:	6,783	6,319	9,434	13,329	12,500	25,560
Bakery products .....	9,185	9,467	12,170	11,264	14,000	17,800:	4,298	4,555	7,587	11,098	17,000	25,000
Fruit juices .....	9,784	15,926	20,346	24,854	21,342	28,070:	3,466	5,512	8,500	13,562	12,066	18,010
Sheep & goats 1,000 head .....	1,161	1,464	1,277	1,038	1,302	1,000:	19,695	26,231	29,236	28,567	46,400	59,000
Cattle 1,000 head .....	47	72	52	37	60	60:	3,292	4,996	4,887	5,251	11,400	19,000
Other animals .....	2,743	2,625	2,901	4,370	1,993	1,550:	4,455	4,675	5,086	6,298	6,375	5,480
Beef .....	200	619	334	941	1,545	4,834:	300	972	702	3,231	3,416	10,267
Mutton .....	600	655	1,026	523	2,383	2,157:	450	826	1,881	1,133	3,137	3,103
Frozen poultry .....	7,777	10,107	11,905	17,991	33,068	36,068:	5,564	7,341	12,910	18,739	33,703	35,603
Canned meat, preserved .....	365	356	345	789	912	2,908:	290	397	335	1,068	1,247	2,933
Milk, all .....	19,562	17,379	23,972	27,884	33,000	38,500:	13,886	13,511	49,702	33,522	41,000	48,000
Non-alcoholic beverages .....	1,705	506	619	1,608	2,200	4,700:	722	169	235	1,143	2,000	4,000
Butter .....	3,079	3,247	4,277	4,454	7,100	9,000:	2,853	3,654	4,243	7,394	14,000	18,000
Cheese .....	6,608	7,238	9,896	8,511	9,900	14,000:	5,809	7,507	12,259	11,121	15,000	20,000
Eggs .....	5,001	4,651	4,427	4,711	6,000	8,000:	2,995	3,985	4,800	5,300	7,000	10,000
Canned vegetables .....	19,403	17,856	14,293	18,230	21,000	26,000:	7,130	6,099	6,866	13,288	18,000	25,000
Margarine .....	22,713	23,066	25,081	28,000	31,000	39,000:	6,580	9,798	9,965	12,318	15,000	21,000
Vegetable oils .....	9,666	7,157	8,211	11,908	15,000	18,500:	6,718	4,350	6,038	12,737	17,000	20,500
Tobacco .....	1,186	1,287	1,249	893	1,350	1,600:	543	619	742	1,044	1,700	3,000
Oranges .....	40,492	41,122	44,561	47,372	58,168	61,800:	6,526	5,648	7,252	7,847	10,800	14,000
Bananas .....	32,716	19,040	22,000	27,253	37,000	44,000:	3,546	3,546	8,803	7,834	11,000	15,000
Apples .....	19,028	28,315	26,499	23,305	28,854	25,000:	3,563	4,259	5,328	4,935	6,100	8,000
Grapes .....	3,863	4,797	2,753	4,461	8,066	9,460:	660	722	652	1,216	2,000	3,500
Pulses .....	14,162	13,608	12,988	14,750	17,300	23,000:	2,141	3,107	3,211	5,128	6,800	14,000
Other .....	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.:	10,328	33,107	11,967	22,536	117,113	197,244
Total .....	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.:	214,963	257,600	370,792	476,336	756,000	964,000

Source: Foreign Trade Statistics of Saudi Arabia, 1971-74 and ERS estimates.



Table 2 -- U.S. agricultural exports to Saudi Arabia, annual, 1972-76

Commodity	Quantity					Value				
	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
	-- Metric tons -- 1/					-- 1,000 dollars --				
Rice .....	79,477	70,409	90,066	80,171	116,434	16,280	31,966	55,027	37,054	48,814
Wheat flour .....	107,681	100,991	150,246	183,980	217,819	9,117	14,847	36,720	43,732	52,956
Wheat .....	---	34,918	---	12,119	5,117	---	3,916	---	2,349	1,169
Popcorn .....	---	147	277	306	490	---	51	115	234	351
Bakery products .....										
incl. pancake mix .....	85	416	216	179	279	75	523	280	329	553
Frozen poultry .....	197	394	270	894	943	207	521	456	1,067	2,217
Beef and veal .....	55	51	57	101	642	248	238	260	317	2,347
Poultry livers .....	3	4	22	105	171	4	4	15	123	176
Meat preparations .....	86	148	170	224	337	133	298	322	450	683
Fresh milk .....	87	161	165	419	263	115	337	325	1,296	780
NFD milk .....	10	1	24	11	13	13	1	26	27	20
Evap. & cond. milk .....	23	11	1	4	39	12	9	3	2	28
Cheese .....	24	50	61	54	93	41	103	150	154	264
Eggs .....	---	---	1	5	18	---	---	2	8	28
Oranges .....	---	---	---	4,100	---	---	---	---	905	---
Almonds .....	1	---	17	45	157	4	---	44	107	379
Pecans .....	3	4	7	6	5	13	16	28	29	15
Canned peaches .....	88	61	124	183	176	34	26	60	99	116
Canned pears .....	4	24	41	79	153	3	13	24	50	107
Fruit cocktail .....	86	102	231	223	178	37	50	110	142	128
Other canned fruit .....	34	37	98	154	163	17	24	71	127	298
Dried fruit .....	8	12	23	27	43	6	12	34	37	51
Lentils .....	51	112	53	32	135	22	46	30	31	81
Other pulses .....	125	124	208	97	296	48	47	145	87	245
Dry potatoes .....	3	4	87	22	71	4	5	64	38	62
Fr. vegetables, n.e.c. ....	12	37	116	11	39	10	27	91	28	30
Frozen vegetables .....	124	148	280	285	445	93	123	251	281	438
Tomatoes, canned & puree ...	79	51	102	148	162	26	76	80	139	159
Canned beans .....	20	47	62	106	229	7	19	35	77	176
Canned peas .....	42	51	85	75	200	19	23	50	49	145
Pickles .....	23	37	52	63	138	11	22	37	52	99
Other vegetable prep. ....	217	224	261	204	125	91	94	125	186	113
Corn oil .....	1,098	1,102	1,509	4,596	6,447	885	888	2,370	7,330	8,083
Sugar .....	21	17	51	37	126	9	8	21	29	97
Honey .....	15	52	73	49	71	9	50	117	84	109
Syrups .....	88	267	83	232	372	226	945	103	863	1,459
Sugar prep. ....	79	117	78	114	368	81	122	115	275	581
Chocolates .....	23	26	48	68	93	28	34	79	164	231
Coffee .....	146	57	187	166	280	329	167	658	560	1,126
Spices .....	20	14	33	52	71	70	50	184	181	372
Soybean oil .....	117	128	813	1,483	1,456	87	95	822	1,738	1,341
Poultry feed .....	2,722	5,443	9,979	15,422	29,938	499	2,042	2,565	3,724	8,328
Soybean oilcake .....	907	---	907	907	2,722	167	---	402	177	671
Dog, cat food .....	---	---	---	---	---	24	74	102	67	141
Shortening .....	212	490	332	309	217	145	433	566	407	189
Margarine .....	50	22	69	47	73	40	18	86	71	91
Catsup .....	43	29	118	84	511	23	16	82	85	554
Tomato sauce .....	31	27	51	29	50	11	12	24	31	35
Mustard prep. ....	12	24	20	22	145	5	11	11	15	86
Mayonnaise .....	65	118	484	489	403	44	105	120	223	370
Soup .....	145	232	264	191	342	74	134	184	146	295
Yeast .....	75	28	54	83	106	72	21	65	140	206
Vinegar (gals.) .....	91	49	38	35	144	76	47	42	57	198
Corn, canned, prep. ....	28	24	73	75	111	12	10	35	50	80
Liquid beverage base (gals.)	16	40	15	31	44	712	2,647	469	2,246	4,007
Flavoring syrup .....	45	87	166	261	556	98	112	180	505	1,029
Potato, corn chips .....	5	9	25	30	76	12	19	47	69	180
Baby food, n.e.c. ....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	24	41	57	56	70
Cream milk substitutes .....	18	38	56	50	116	26	74	94	124	271
Peanut butter .....	32	134	200	98	429	41	154	249	176	703
Peanut prep. ....	9	9	15	32	137	13	14	27	68	226
Mixed nuts .....	5	7	21	39	48	13	19	66	121	169
Hydrogenated oils .....	163	193	148	419	463	198	235	205	528	535
Misc. foods .....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	36	82	101	188	4,752
Non-alc. beverages (gals.) ..	23	21	33	41	32	31	25	39	57	86
Soybean flour .....	---	525	---	1,788	1,300	---	136	---	503	363
Seeds .....	39	70	107	101	80	158	247	544	637	513
Other .....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	1,846	3,021	15,048	6,616	14,404
Total .....	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	N.A.	32,814	65,545	110,028	117,102	164,979

1/ Liquids expressed in thousands of gallons.

Table 3 --Saudi Arabia: Imports of wheat and wheat flour; Quantity and value, 1971-75, and estimate for 1976

Commodity and country	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 1/	1976 1/	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 1/	1976 1/
	-- Metric tons --				-- 1,000 dollars --							
Wheat:												
Australia .....	43,274	75,741	27,299	33,526	60,000	80,000	4,288	9,125	5,717	8,880	18,000	13,000
United States .....	12,976	3,726	32,347	8,880	12,111	5,000	1,563	424	5,363	2,498	2,350	1,200
Canada .....	19,837	19,540	14,338	5,648	2,400	12,000	2,252	1,366	2,246	1,382	432	2,000
Jordan .....	1,000	1,803	1,216	526	1,000	1,000	121	208	180	86	200	200
Lebanon .....	636	193	247	1,465	---	---	89	36	64	346	---	---
Other .....	1,464	696	1,656	18,207	13,889	17,000	179	114	334	5,806	3,200	3,600
Total .....	79,187	101,699	77,103	68,252	89,400	115,000	8,492	11,273	13,904	18,998	20,182	20,000
Wheat Flour:												
United States .....	106,642	104,729	88,867	65,113	183,980	217,800	12,860	11,802	14,668	28,877	43,742	53,000
Australia .....	8,500	3,619	14,204	3,316	1,000	100	1,218	1,116	2,953	800	200	200
France .....	1,902	3,028	1,832	3,182	3,618	5,000	212	349	409	903	788	1,000
Netherlands .....	16,272	29,262	48,870	28,593	65,978	50,000	1,576	2,557	7,684	8,854	18,103	12,000
Belgium .....	819	4,574	2,452	3,478	506	3,000	89	413	378	1,161	151	500
West Germany .....	9,370	16,198	14,935	8,344	37,439	95,000	831	1,302	2,220	2,217	7,853	18,000
Canada .....	539	1,327	301	719	3,622	6,700	75	143	88	254	980	1,500
Lebanon .....	1,776	964	259	190	---	---	206	106	40	51	---	---
Jordan .....	3,291	4,680	3,593	1,089	4,720	3,000	442	590	558	199	1,000	800
Kuwait .....	1,775	914	642	4,964	---	---	256	106	119	1,699	---	---
Other .....	1,462	10,404	1,915	28,721	7,000	8,000	176	587	412	82	3,700	1,700
Total .....	154,587	179,699	177,870	146,709	307,863	378,600	17,941	19,071	29,529	45,011	76,517	88,700
Total wheat equivalent .....	211,459	245,810	243,308	203,779	427,621	525,875	---	---	---	---	---	---
Wheat and wheat flour in wheat equivalent .....	290,646	347,509	320,411	272,031	517,021	640,875	26,433	30,344	43,433	64,095	96,699	108,700

Sources: Foreign Trade Statistics of Saudi Arabia, Annuals for 1971-73 and trade statistics of trading partners for 1975 and 1976 and ERS estimates for 1976.  
1/ Estimate.



Table 4 --Saudi Arabia: Imports of rice, Quantity and value by country, 1971-76

Country	1971	1972	1973	1974 1/	1975	1976 1/	1971	1972	1973	1974 1/	1975	1976 1/
	-- Metric tons --				-- 1,000 dollars --							
United States	51,226	74,901	58,192	61,661	80,171	116,700	12,748	16,958	29,705	43,291	37,100	49,000
Thailand	82,717	23,170	38,198	40,153	76,000	125,000	9,590	2,347	11,795	19,202	30,000	45,000
Pakistan	43,340	15,366	7,697	14,500	60,000	40,000	4,183	4,140	4,478	11,384	42,000	22,000
Bahrain	7,474	1,676	3,134	7,967	4,000	3,000	1,861	253	1,003	7,137	1,700	1,200
India	5,395	3,589	231	2,047	3,000	4,000	1,222	1,778	175	1,539	1,000	1,800
Sri Lanka	2,315	600	1,169	2,801	---	---	254	80	222	1,280	---	---
Egypt	100	2,923	793	495	---	300	17	178	278	390	---	100
Iran	---	18	56	---	---	---	---	3	10	---	---	---
Lebanon	314	31	21	---	---	---	57	5	11	---	---	---
Other	7,460	3,075	21,924	7,726	17,000	15,000	912	548	5,715	1,493	7,200	5,000
Total	200,341	125,349	131,415	137,350	240,171	304,000	30,844	26,290	53,392	85,716	119,000	124,100

Sources: Foreign Trade Statistics of Saudi Arabia 1971-74 and ERS compilations from trading partners' for 1975 and 1976.  
1/ Estimate.





Table 6 --Saudi Arabia: Estimated grain supply, annual 1969-76

Commodity	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976
-- 1,000 metric tons --								
Wheat:								
Production .....								
Imports <u>2/</u> .....	150	135	72	39	115	90	194	205
Total supply .....	277	363	291	347	320	272	517	641
From the U.S. <u>2/</u> .....	427	498	363	386	435	362	711	846
From the U.S. <u>2/</u> .....	110	140	162	150	156	149	268	307
Rice:								
Production .....	3	3	2	2	3	3	2	2
Imports .....	151	203	202	125	131	137	240	304
Supply .....	154	206	203	127	134	140	242	306
From the U.S. ....	68	64	51	75	58	90	80	117
Coarse grains: <u>3/</u>								
Production .....	215	292	329	180	295	373	418	450
Imports .....	34	47	133	110	101	92	145	160
Supply .....	249	339	462	190	396	465	563	610
From the U.S. ....	---	10	---	10	2	---	---	---
Total cereals:								
Production .....	368	430	403	221	413	466	614	657
Imports .....	462	613	626	582	552	501	902	1,105
Supply .....	830	1,043	1,029	703	965	967	1,515	1,762
From the U.S. ....	178	214	213	235	216	239	348	424
-- Kilograms per person --								
Per capita supply:								
Wheat .....	81	92	66	68	74	60	111	128
Rice .....	29	38	37	22	23	23	38	46
Coarse grains .....	48	63	83	39	67	77	90	92
Total cereals .....	158	193	186	429	164	160	239	266
Population (Millions) .....	5,240	5,380	5,540	5,710	5,880	6,060	6,242	6,600

Source: Foreign Trade Statistics of Saudi Arabia 1969-73, and ERS estimates.

1/ Estimate. 2/ Includes wheat equivalent of wheat flour imports. 3/ Includes corn, barley, and millet.

Table 7 --Saudi Arabia: Imports of meat, quantity and value by country, 1971-76, and 1977 estimate

Commodity and country	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975 1/	1976	1977	1971	1972	1973	1974 1/	1975 1/	1976	1977
	Metric tons													
	1,000 dollars													
<b>Frozen &amp; chilled poultry:</b>														
Netherlands.....	19	66	2,491	2,863	3,800	4,400	4,000::	16	39	2,654	2,742	3,700	4,300	4,000
West Germany.....	549	200	1,701	2,676	1,718	1,820	900::	428	192	1,952	2,737	1,570	1,600	900
France.....	42	621	1,639	354	15,623	14,500	8,000::	30	542	2,321	402	15,736	14,000	7,800
Denmark.....	147	292	466	332	1,161	700	800::	127	224	612	418	1,297	710	750
Hungary.....	---	---	---	---	1,267	2,000	1,000::	---	---	---	---	---	1,700	900
United States.....	59	141	410	201	999	1,114	12,000::	104	221	485	381	1,180	2,393	11,000
Lebanon.....	3,815	4,081	1,922	8,863	4,200	700	600::	2,641	2,794	1,785	9,636	5,100	800	700
Belgium.....	---	481	466	1,008	---	200	---	---	331	427	1,048	---	200	---
Syria.....	2,941	3,661	2,198	1,223	1,100	1,000	700::	2,031	2,626	1,929	1,194	1,050	900	650
Other.....	205	564	612	471	3,200	9,800	11,000::	187	372	745	181	3,000	9,000	10,500
Total.....	7,777	10,107	11,905	17,991	33,068	36,234	40,000::	5,564	7,341	12,910	18,739	33,703	35,603	37,200
<b>Beef:</b>														
Australia.....	150	440	130	519	1,120	3,482	5,500::	200	573	320	939	2,230	6,700	11,500
Denmark.....	2/	23	17	41	194	210	200::	2/	80	45	148	584	700	670
United States.....	2/	8	21	24	101	642	4,000::	2/	29	75	120	317	2,347	12,000
Netherlands.....	2/	3	49	---	---	---	---	2/	9	28	---	---	---	---
Kuwait.....	---	---	---	57	---	---	---	---	---	---	240	---	---	---
Ethiopia.....	2/	20	31	33	20	10	10::	2/	36	55	73	75	20	20
Other.....	50	125	86	267	110	590	700::	100	245	179	801	210	600	1,500
Total.....	200	619	334	941	1,545	4,834	10,410::	300	972	702	2,321	3,416	10,267	25,690
<b>Mutton and lamb:</b>														
Australia.....	500	538	969	208	2,336	2,057	4,000::	360	586	1,710	545	3,000	2,800	7,900
West Germany.....	12	16	12	---	12	15	10::	25	49	56	---	60	70	60
United States.....	10	23	13	16	10	15	400::	20	36	62	34	17	33	1,000
Other.....	78	78	32	299	25	70	690::	45	155	53	554	60	200	1,800
Total.....	600	655	1,026	523	2,383	2,157	5,100::	450	826	1,881	1,133	3,137	3,103	10,760
<b>Meat, other, nes., canned:</b>														
Netherlands.....	---	---	2/	81	71	60	70::	---	13	2/	50	48	50	60
Denmark.....	---	---	2/	17	53	80	100::	---	---	2/	28	99	100	110
Brazil.....	---	---	2/	---	30	1,200	2,000::	---	---	2/	---	20	800	2,000
Australia.....	3	17	2/	105	214	681	1,430::	3	13	220	220	300	750	2,000
United States.....	---	21	2/	218	224	337	600::	---	13	2/	241	450	683	1,100
Lebanon.....	352	309	9	163	270	50	100::	---	8	15	180	270	50	100
Other.....	---	---	7	205	50	500	900::	287	368	4	349	60	500	1,000
Total.....	365	356	345	789	912	2,908	5,200::	290	397	335	1,068	1,247	2,933	6,370
Total meat.....	8,942	11,737	13,887	20,244	37,908	46,133	60,710::	6,604	10,023	16,351	23,261	41,503	52,006	80,010

1/ Estimate.

2/ Included in other items.

Sources: Foreign Trade of Saudi Arabia, annual issues 1971-74; statistics from trading partners for 1975 and 1976; and ERS estimates.









Table 10 --Saudi Arabia: Supply of fruit for domestic consumption,  
1970-75 and estimate for 1976

	: : 1970	: : 1971	: : 1972	: : 1973	: : 1974	: : 1975	: : 1976
	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
	-- 1,000 metric tons --						
Dates:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	252	188	199	235	241	245	240
Imports .....	---	---	---	---	8	9	10
Exports .....	7	9	9	9	7	7	6
Supply .....	245	179	190	226	242	247	244
Oranges:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	6	6	7	8	9	13	14
Imports .....	36	40	41	45	47	58	60
Supply .....	42	46	48	53	56	71	74
Bananas:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	4	3	3	5	5	5	5
Imports .....	22	33	19	22	28	28	31
Supply .....	26	36	22	27	33	33	36
Apples:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	1	1	1	2	2	2	2
Imports .....	12	19	28	20	23	29	23
Supply .....	13	20	29	22	25	31	25
Grapes:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	12	17	18	28	27	36	38
Imports .....	3	4	5	3	4	8	9
Supply .....	15	21	23	32	31	44	47
Other fresh fruit:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	52	55	60	62	67	70	71
Imports .....	2	4	2	1	4	5	7
Supply .....	54	59	62	63	71	75	78
Dry fruit:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Imports .....	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
Supply .....	1	1	1	1	1	2	2
Total:	:	:	:	:	:	:	:
Production .....	327	270	288	341	351	371	370
Imports .....	76	101	96	92	115	139	142
Exports .....	7	9	9	9	7	7	6
Supply for domestic use .....	396	362	375	424	459	503	506

Source: Ministry of Agriculture and Water, Riyadh, Foreign Trade Statistics of Saudi Arabia, 1970-73, 1974 FAO Yearbook, and ERS estimates.

# U.S.-CANADIAN AGRICULTURAL TRADE IN 1976

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In calendar year 1976, two-thirds of Canadian total trade was with the United States. U.S. imports from Canada reached \$26.7 billion in calendar 1976, and U.S. exports to Canada amounted to \$23.6 billion. Six percent of U.S. exports to Canada and 2 percent of Canadian exports to the United States were agricultural commodities. Over half of Canada's total agricultural imports came from the United States. Canadian imports of live animals, almost all from the United States, increased 44 percent in value from 1975 to 1976. Canadian fresh and frozen meat and fruits and vegetable imports rose 78 percent and 11 percent in value, respectively, with about 66 percent of each commodity coming from the United States.

U.S. agricultural exports to Canada in 1976 reached \$1.5 billion--a 14-percent increase over the previous year's level. U.S. agricultural imports from Canada increased 22 percent to \$600 million. Seventy-one percent of U.S. exports to Canada were made up of live cattle, beef and veal, pork, rice, corn, horticultural products, oilcake and meal, hides, skins and furs, soybeans, soybean and cottonseed oil, and cotton. U.S. agricultural imports from Canada consisted mainly of live animals and meat.

## Cattle and Beef

U.S.-Canadian trade in live cattle and beef and veal remained free of trade restrictions from January to October 1976. U.S. exports of these commodities increased over 1975 levels. Live cattle exports were up 61 percent in quantity and 71 percent in value, and beef and veal exports were up 135 percent in quantity and 99 percent in value. Almost all Canadian cattle imports came from the United States.

U.S. imports of live cattle increased 149 percent in quantity and 110 percent in value. Beef and veal imports rose 296 percent in quantity and 335 percent in value. Part of the increase in U.S. beef imports from Canada was because of increased Canadian imports of boneless beef from Australia and New Zealand, which along with the United States are the major sources of Canadian beef imports. In 1976, Canadian global imports of beef and veal increased approximately 90 percent in value. The Australian and U.S. share of the market increased from 49 to 51 percent, and from 9 to 12 percent, respectively. The share of the market held by New Zealand decreased from 42 to 37 percent.

In an effort to stem the effect on domestic producers of low-priced Australian and New Zealand beef on the Canadian market, the Canadian Government negotiated a price agreement with Australia and New Zealand in July 1976. Canada would import their beef at no more than 6 cents per pound below the price of U.S. boneless beef. The agreement did not significantly reduce Canadian imports of Oceanian beef, however, and Canadian beef continued to move into the U.S. market. The increase in U.S. imports of Canadian beef was a factor contributing to the implementation of the U.S. Meat Import Law in October 1976, when the U.S. Government imposed quotas on U.S. imports of beef from Canada.

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The quota for Canada amounted to 80.4 million pounds and was filled by early November. In response to the U.S. quota, the Canadian Government announced an import permit plan limiting total Canadian beef and veal imports for the fourth quarter of 1976 to 17.5 million pounds, with 8.2 million pounds allocated to Australia, 4.8 million pounds to New Zealand, and 4.5 million pounds to the United States.

In December 1976, the United States and Canada reached an agreement whereby Canadian exports of beef and veal to the United States would be restricted to 75 million pounds in 1977. U.S. exports of beef and veal to Canada will be held at 24.75 million pounds, while Australian and New Zealand imports will be restricted to 59.35 and 60.65 million pounds, respectively, under a global Canadian quota of 144.75 million pounds. The Canadian quota will permit a 32-percent increase in U.S. exports of beef and veal to Canada in 1977 over 1976 levels.

### Pork

Canadian pork imports, mainly from the United States, continued upward in 1976. Canadian hog prices have averaged well above U.S. prices during the year because of reduced domestic slaughter and high levels of pork exports to Japan. In 1976, 80 percent of Canadian pork exports went to Japan, and 18 percent went to the United States. The increase in exports to Japan is due to the development of programs under which Canadian provincial hog marketing boards contract to supply pork to Japan. Canada granted duty-free status to imports of fresh pork and reduced tariffs on many processed pork products from the United States during 1976 (these duties and tariffs were reimposed in March 1977).

U.S. exports of pork to Canada during 1976 increased 97 percent in value. U.S. imports of pork, however, continued to decline in 1976. The value of U.S. pork imports equaled \$18 million, which was a 29-percent decrease from the 1975 value.

### Fruit and Vegetables

Canadian imports of fresh fruits and vegetables in 1976 accounted for approximately 26 percent of total Canadian agricultural imports. About 69 percent of Canadian fruit and vegetable imports were supplied by the United States in 1976. In 1976, about 32 percent of U.S. agricultural exports to Canada were fresh fruits and vegetables. Fresh citrus fruits and citrus fruit juices accounted for 42 percent of U.S. fresh and prepared fruit exports to Canada in 1976, compared with 44 percent in 1975. The value of fresh citrus fruit exports reached \$71 million in 1976--up 6 percent from the previous year's level, and juice exports reached \$47 million--a 7-percent increase over 1975 levels.

Tomatoes, onions, and lettuce accounted for 44 percent of U.S. fresh vegetable exports to Canada in 1976, equaling \$68 million in 1976--a 6-percent increase over 1975 values.

### Corn

The value of U.S. corn exports to Canada decreased in 1976. Canadian corn production of 3.4 million tons was only slightly below the record crop of 1975. Increased domestic corn production, combined with the introduction of a new feed grain policy in August 1976, probably affected U.S. exports. Under the new policy, western Canadian feed grains are competitively priced with U.S. corn in the eastern Canadian market, where most U.S. imported corn is used for feeding purposes.

### Oilseeds

Exports of oilseeds and products accounted for 15 percent of the total value of U.S. agricultural exports to Canada in 1976. Virtually all soybeans imported by Canada



come from the United States. Although the volume of soybeans exported decreased 9 percent, the value of soybean exports increased 2 percent.

### Rice

U.S. exports of rice to Canada increased 15 percent in 1976, and the total value of Canadian rice imports increased 13 percent. The U.S. share of Canadian rice imports increased 1 percentage point from 1975 to 98 percent in 1976.

Table 11--Canadian agricultural imports and U.S. share

Commodity	1975	1976	U.S. share	
			1975	1976
	Million dollars		Percent	
Live animals. . . . .	74	110	86	94
Meat, fresh, chilled or frozen. . . . .	177	334	60	63
Other meat and preparations . . . . .	24	35	40	45
Dairy, eggs, and honey. . . . .	70	76	28	32
Corn, shelled . . . . .	101	96	100	100
Other cereals and preparations. . . . .	81	88	79	74
Fresh fruit . . . . .	441	502	65	65
Nuts. . . . .	39	49	49	48
Vegetables. . . . .	280	323	78	80
Sugar and preparations. . . . .	572	352	12	15
Cocoa and chocolate . . . . .	48	57	26	31
Coffee. . . . .	166	253	39	26
Tea . . . . .	35	36	7	7
Other food preparations . . . . .	114	122	69	69
Oilseed cake and meal . . . . .	54	71	100	100
Other fodder and feed . . . . .	34	34	96	96
Beverages, alcoholic. . . . .	93	95	5	4
Tobacco, unmanufactured . . . . .	25	21	47	48
Fur skins, undressed. . . . .	57	77	60	62
Crude animal products . . . . .	27	44	75	78
Soybeans. . . . .	85	80	100	100
Other oilseeds. . . . .	45	46	92	75
Rubber and gums, natural. . . . .	39	65	9	14
Crude vegetable products. . . . .	67	82	79	78
Wool. . . . .	25	35	15	14
Cotton. . . . .	53	73	78	69
Total agricultural imports. . . . .	2,826	3,157	53	54

Source: Statistics Canada, Summary of External Trade, selected issues.

Table 12--U.S. exports to Canada, selected commodities

Commodity	Unit	Quantity		Quantity change	Value		Value change
		1975	1976		1975	1976	
		Thousands			1,000 dollars		
				Percent		Percent	
Live cattle . . . . .	No.	57	92	61	21,410	36,521	71
Beef and veal . . . . .	Lb.	7,942	18,701	135	13,217	26,240	99
Pork . . . . .	Lb.	69,392	152,123	119	60,432	118,753	97
Rice . . . . .	Lb.	160,859	169,264	5	28,083	23,846	15
Corn . . . . .	Bu.	27,858	27,563	-1	82,216	75,223	-9
Fruits and nuts . . . . .	---	---	---	---	283,164	309,543	9
Vegetables . . . . .	---	---	---	---	174,988	195,183	12
Oilcake and meal . . . . .	S. ton	266	307	15	44,824	58,351	30
Hides and skins . . . . .	---	---	---	---	14,179	23,191	64
Furs . . . . .	---	---	---	---	27,003	41,158	52
Peanuts . . . . .	Lb.	118,390	82,570	-30	33,798	24,825	-27
Soybeans . . . . .	Bu.	15,715	14,342	-9	85,092	86,861	2
Soybean and cottonseed oil . . . . .	Lb.	60,428	68,951	14	18,249	14,303	-22
Cotton . . . . .	RBA	157	144	6	35,202	47,208	34
Total selected commodities . . . . .	---	---	---	---	921,857	1,081,206	17
Total agricultural commodities . . . . .	---	---	---	---	1,305,013	1,492,880	14

Source: U.S. Bureau of Census.

Table 13--U.S. imports from Canada, selected commodities

Commodity	Unit	Quantity		Quantity change	Total value		Value change
		1975	1976		1975	1976	
		Thousands			1,000 dollars		
				Percent			Percent
Live cattle . . . . .	No.	191	475	149	48,075	100,956	110
Swine . . . . .	No.	30	46	53	4,272	6,806	59
Beef and veal . . . . .	Lb.	21,160	83,723	296	12,476	54,217	335
Pork . . . . .	Lb.	32,799	24,626	-25	24,864	17,623	-29
Barley . . . . .	Bu.	14,083	8,953	-36	55,880	32,824	-41
Biscuits and Wafers . . . . .	Lb.	35,003	36,369	4	20,206	20,877	3
Apples . . . . .	Lb.	61,496	70,143	14	7,452	8,086	9
Berries . . . . .	Lb.	18,879	18,578	-2	3,446	3,756	9
Fruit and vegetable juice . . . . .	---	---	---	---	2,926	457	-84
Potatoes and vegetables . . . . .	---	---	---	---	15,329	12,414	-19
Animal feeds . . . . .	---	---	---	---	3,010	4,286	42
Hides . . . . .	---	---	---	---	15,619	21,040	35
Furs . . . . .	---	---	---	---	13,747	16,808	22
Total selected commodities . . . . .	---	---	---	---	227,302	300,150	32
Total agricultural imports . . . . .	---	---	---	---	491,442	600,246	22

Source: U.S. Bureau of Census.



## AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS GAIN 7½ PERCENT IN FIRST 6 MONTHS

Farm product exports, valued at \$12.7 billion in the first 6 months of fiscal year 1977 (October-March), exceeded their year-earlier level by \$900 million, or 7.6 percent. The agricultural trade balance was in surplus by nearly \$6.3 billion, compared with almost \$6.9 billion during October-March 1975/76, reflecting a more rapid gain in imports.

Commodity values increased for soybeans, protein meal, vegetable oils, cotton, animal feeds, hides, tallow, poultry meat, fruits, edible nuts, vegetables, and dried skim milk. Grain exports fell in value because of lower prices. Although tobacco shipments were down 5 percent, higher prices raised their export value slightly.

Agricultural exports in March reached a near-record \$2.3 billion. Large shipments of feed grains, soybeans, cotton, protein meal, vegetable oils, rice, tallow, corn byproducts, alfalfa meal, and tobacco were recorded. Continued high demand for animal feed in Europe, limited world supplies of vegetable oils, and increased textile production were contributing factors.

Feed grain exports during March, mainly to Western Europe, the USSR, and Japan, surged 17 percent above March 1976 to over 4-1/2 million tons. Average unit values fell about \$8 to \$112 per ton, resulting in a total value gain of 9 percent to \$504 million.

Rice exports in March totaled 214,000 tons, 58 percent greater than the year-earlier volume. Iran, Iraq, and Nigeria accounted for most of the increase.

Nearly 1.6 million tons of soybeans were exported in March, compared with 1.4 million tons last March. Value jumped 70 percent to \$455 million as prices averaged \$7.80 per bushel against \$5.12 a year ago. Japan, Spain, the USSR, and Mexico took larger volumes.

Cotton export volume reached 536,000 bales (480 pounds average weight) in March, up 40 percent from last year's level. Value soared 80 percent to \$189 million. Main recipients were Japan, Taiwan, Hong Kong, Thailand, Egypt, Canada, and Western Europe.

Table 14 --Agricultural, nonagricultural, and total trade balance

Item	October-March		March	
	1975/76	1976/77	1976	1977
-- Million dollars --				
Agricultural exports <u>1</u> / .....	11,800	12,699	1,873	2,293
Nonagricultural exports <u>2</u> / .....	44,049	47,284	7,950	8,752
Total exports <u>2</u> / .....	55,849	59,983	9,823	11,045
Agricultural imports <u>3</u> / .....	4,949	6,445	960	1,300
Nonagricultural imports <u>4</u> / .....	48,098	61,632	9,330	12,357
Total imports <u>4</u> / .....	53,047	68,077	10,290	13,657
Agricultural trade balance .....	6,851	6,254	913	993
Nonagricultural trade balance ..	-4,049	-14,348	-1,380	-3,605
Total trade balance .....	2,802	-8,094	-467	-2,612

1/ Domestic exports including Department of Defense shipments (F.A.S. value).

2/ Domestic and foreign exports excluding Department of Defense shipments (F.A.S. value).

3/ Imports for consumption (Customs value).

4/ General imports (Customs value).

Table 15 --U.S. agricultural exports: Value by commodity,  
October-March 1975/76 and 1976/77 and March 1976 and 1977

Commodity	Oct.-Mar.		Change	March		Change
	1975/76	1976/77		1976	1977	
	Million dollars		Percent	Million dollars		Percent
Animals and animal products:						
Dairy products .....	41	70	+71	9	15	+67
Fats, oils, and greases .....	193	261	+35	32	45	+41
Hides and skins, including furskins :	307	452	+47	73	94	+29
Cattle hides, whole .....	165	264	+60	38	50	+32
Furskins .....	122	158	+30	31	39	+26
Other hides and skins .....	20	30	+50	4	5	+25
Meats and meat products .....	290	298	+3	66	54	-18
Poultry and poultry products .....	104	140	+35	21	21	---
Other .....	105	92	-12	25	13	-48
Total animals and animal products :	1,040	1,313	+26	226	242	+7
Cotton, excluding linters .....	367	802	+119	105	189	+80
Feeds and fodders, excl. protein meal:						
Corn byproducts .....	60	102	+70	10	21	+110
Alfalfa meal .....	11	35	+218	2	7	+250
Other .....	99	169	+71	17	32	+88
Total feeds and fodders, excl. protein meal .....	170	306	+80	29	60	+107
Fruits and preparations .....	343	368	+7	60	64	+7
Grains and preparations:						
Feed grains, excluding products .....	3,052	3,017	-1	461	504	+9
Rice .....	284	312	+10	40	62	+55
Wheat and products .....	2,558	1,434	-44	335	207	-38
Other .....	92	95	+3	13	13	---
Total grains and preparations .....	5,986	4,858	-19	849	786	-7
Nuts and preparations .....	113	134	+19	13	18	+38
Oilseeds and products:						
Cottonseed and soybean oil .....	165	271	+64	29	86	+197
Soybeans .....	1,771	2,495	+41	268	455	+70
Protein meal .....	391	515	+32	76	136	+79
Other .....	252	269	+7	36	35	-3
Total oilseeds and products .....	2,579	3,550	+38	409	712	+74
Tobacco, unmanufactured .....	600	614	+2	73	93	+27
Vegetables and preparations .....	291	388	+33	59	54	-8
Other .....	310	366	+18	50	75	+50
Total agricultural exports .....	11,799	12,699	+8	1,873	2,293	+22



Table 16 --U.S. agricultural exports by regions, October-March 1975/76 and March 1976 and 1977

Region 1/	Oct.-Mar.		March		Change	
	1975/76	1976/77	1976	1977	Oct.-Mar. : 1977	March : 1977
-- Million dollars --						
Western Europe .....	3,981	5,085	628	891	+28	+42
Enlarged European Community .....	3,174	4,137	492	679	+30	+38
Other Western Europe .....	808	948	136	212	+17	+56
Eastern Europe and USSR .....	1,535	1,041	208	215	-32	+3
USSR .....	1,173	664	151	158	-43	+5
Eastern Europe .....	362	377	57	56	+4	-2
Asia .....	3,698	4,140	639	758	+12	+19
West Asia .....	394	514	59	92	+30	+56
South Asia .....	636	325	131	65	-49	-50
Southeast Asia, ex. Japan and PRC .....	960	1,156	173	227	+20	+31
Japan .....	1,707	2,146	277	374	+26	+35
Peoples Republic of China .....	2	0	0	0	---	---
Latin America .....	1,142	874	182	159	-23	-13
Canada, excluding transshipments .....	687	781	129	136	+14	+5
Canadian transshipments .....	212	124	3/	3/	-42	---
Africa .....	484	580	77	121	+20	+57
North Africa .....	308	336	44	82	+9	+86
Other Africa .....	176	244	33	39	+39	+18
Oceania .....	61	73	9	13	+20	+44
Total 2/ .....	11,799	12,699	1,873	2,293	+8	+22

1/ Not adjusted for transshipments.

2/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

3/ Less than \$500,000.

Table 17 --Export quantities and values of selected commodities,  
October-March 1975/76 and 1976/77 and March 1976 and 1977

Commodity	Oct.-March		March	
	1975/76	1976/77	1976	1977
-- 1,000 metric tons --				
Animal products:				
Fats, oils, and greases .....	483	671	84	108
Meats and meat products .....	177	211	39	35
Poultry meat, fresh or frozen ..	62	96	12	11
Grains:				
Wheat and products .....	16,083	10,874	2,152	1,626
Feed grains and products .....	25,520	27,355	3,873	4,541
Rice .....	846	1,042	135	214
Oilseeds and products:				
Soybeans .....	8,984	9,617	1,423	1,588
Protein meal .....	2,356	2,500	464	591
Vegetable oils and waxes .....	453	605	93	172
Other:				
Fruits and preparations 1/ .....	711	729	140	137
Vegetables and preparations 2/ ..	630	868	150	95
Tobacco .....	176	168	22	25
Cotton, excluding linters .....	299	491	83	117
Feeds and fodders 3/ .....	734	1,468	131	232
Total .....	57,514	56,695	8,801	9,492

1/ Includes fresh fruits, canned fruits, and dried fruits.

2/ Includes fresh vegetables, canned vegetables, and pulses.

3/ Includes prepared animal feeds, corn byproducts, and alfalfa meal and cubes.

Table 18 --U.S. agricultural exports by selected commodities

Commodity	Unit	October-March			March		
		Quantity		Value	Quantity		Value
		1975/76	1976/77	1975/76	1976	1977	1976
		-- Thousands	--	-- 1,000 dollars	-- Thousands	--	-- 1,000 dollars
Animals, live, excluding poultry .....	---	---	---	67,524	---	---	18,083
Meat and preps., excluding poultry ..	Lb.	390,173	464,809	289,693	86,143	77,970	65,505
Dairy products, excluding eggs .....	---	---	---	41,226	---	---	8,523
Poultry and poultry products .....	---	---	---	103,599	---	---	20,828
Grains and preparations .....	---	---	---	5,986,248	---	---	849,495
Wheat and wheat flour .....	Bu.	586,246	392,930	2,533,256	78,930	59,214	334,554
Rice, milled .....	Lb.	1,865,613	2,296,329	283,775	298,654	471,611	40,161
Feed grains, excluding products ..	Mt.	25,377	27,220	3,052,259	3,847	4,521	461,150
Other .....	---	---	---	116,958	---	---	13,630
Fruits, nuts, and preparations .....	---	---	---	455,855	---	---	73,394
Vegetables and preparations .....	---	---	---	291,349	---	---	58,859
Sugar & preps., including honey .....	Lb.	263,658	268,455	48,393	34,924	40,236	7,792
Coffee, tea, cocoa, spices, etc. ....	do.	48,827	44,982	47,191	7,604	8,224	105,082
Feeds and fodders .....	---	---	---	560,377	---	---	196,347
Protein meal .....	Ston	2,597	2,756	390,802	512	652	76,216
Beverages, excl. distilled alcohol ..	Gal.	3,074	5,518	6,439	557	1,119	1,035
Tobacco, unmanufactured .....	Lb.	387,943	369,796	599,716	47,462	56,161	72,747
Hides, skins, and furskins .....	---	---	---	306,509	---	---	72,925
Oilseeds .....	---	---	---	1,916,384	---	---	280,202
Soybeans .....	Bu.	330,090	353,379	1,770,520	52,297	58,365	267,772
Wool, unmanufactured .....	Cib.	4,784	3,054	10,468	1,130	425	455,135
Cotton, unmanufactured .....	Rbale	1,463	2,367	371,812	397	553	3,075
Fats, oils, and greases .....	Lb.	1,065,072	1,481,076	193,047	186,065	237,965	105,351
Vegetable oils and waxes .....	do.	998,822	1,332,836	264,977	204,038	379,162	32,213
Rubber and allied gums .....	do.	20,554	21,585	10,617	4,400	3,981	50,664
Other .....	---	---	---	227,798	---	---	2,160
Total .....	---	---	---	11,799,222	---	---	37,696
				12,698,757			1,873,315
							2,293,071



Table 19--U.S. agricultural exports: Value by months, October 1967 to September 1977

Months	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
			1/						2/	2/
October .....	531.8	463.8	644.9	729.9	465.9	907.5	1,734.4	1,711.9	2,081.9	2,250.7
November .....	667.4	609.4	657.8	725.8	630.2	1,080.4	2,085.6	2,352.5	2,175.6	2,120.9
December .....	563.6	610.7	590.9	744.6	841.5	1,108.6	1,973.3	2,119.5	1,959.4	2,081.4
October-December .....	1,762.8	1,683.9	1,893.6	2,200.3	1,937.6	3,096.5	5,793.3	6,183.9	6,216.9	6,453.0
January .....	545.0	177.7	524.1	670.3	769.7	1,135.5	1,833.9	2,452.9	1,994.1	1,906.8
February .....	547.4	239.5	559.6	634.5	714.2	1,180.1	1,909.8	1,920.2	1,715.1	2,045.9
March .....	544.4	517.2	569.7	714.5	668.2	1,411.4	2,092.6	1,911.0	1,873.3	2,293.1
January-March .....	1,636.8	934.4	1,653.4	2,019.3	2,152.1	3,727.0	5,836.3	6,284.1	5,582.5	6,245.8
October-March .....	3,399.6	2,618.3	3,547.0	4,219.6	4,089.7	6,823.5	11,629.6	12,468.0	11,799.4	12,698.8
April .....	523.7	602.0	558.4	632.1	627.7	1,265.5	2,011.1	1,757.6	1,932.3	
May .....	497.5	583.6	573.7	623.1	711.5	1,367.3	1,796.5	1,496.2	1,848.4	
June .....	461.3	513.2	599.4	607.1	743.5	1,376.1	1,704.4	1,389.6	1,823.8	
April-June .....	1,482.5	1,698.8	1,731.5	1,862.3	2,082.7	4,008.9	5,512.0	4,643.4	5,604.5	
July .....	465.6	499.8	567.8	578.5	680.8	1,223.7	1,631.5	1,532.4	1,798.6	
August .....	489.0	438.4	537.5	546.2	679.0	1,478.1	1,452.3	1,600.4	1,759.6	
September .....	469.6	471.5	568.3	749.3	709.5	1,449.2	1,382.6	1,609.8	1,796.9	
July-September .....	1,424.2	1,409.7	1,673.6	1,874.0	2,069.3	4,151.0	4,466.4	4,742.6	5,355.1	
April-September .....	2,906.7	3,108.5	3,405.1	3,736.3	4,152.0	8,159.9	9,978.4	9,386.0	10,959.6	
October-September 3/	6,306.3	5,726.8	6,952.1	7,955.9	8,241.7	14,983.4	21,608.0	21,854.0	22,759.0	
Monthly average ....	525.5	477.2	579.3	663.0	686.8	1,248.6	1,800.7	1,821.2	1,896.6	

1/ Beginning Jan. 1970, export values include small amounts of commodities formerly classified as nonagricultural.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

TABLE 20 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY	MARCH		VALUE
		QUANTITY	75/76	76/77	76/77 1/2		1977 1/2	1976	
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	DOL.
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	55,238,900	59,041,900	---	---	---	9,671,800 10,857,200
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	43,439,678	46,343,143	---	---	---	7,798,485 8,564,129
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	11,799,222	12,698,757	---	---	---	1,873,315 2,293,071
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	1,039,515	1,313,403	---	---	---	225,695 241,526
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---	67,524	45,116	---	---	---	18,083 6,430
CATTLE	NO	112	54	48,050	29,904	34	6	---	13,989 4,208
OTHER	---	---	---	19,474	15,212	---	---	---	4,093 2,222
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	41,226	70,352	---	---	---	8,523 14,992
ANHYDROUS MILK FAT	LB	15	24	21	37	4	1	---	4 1
BUTTER	LB	244	189	245	164	55	38	---	52 43
CHEESE AND CURD	LB	4,900	4,741	6,229	6,062	949	920	---	1,311 1,166
MILK AND CREAM:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	LB	26,922	17,221	7,508	5,081	4,252	3,091	---	1,206 943
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	LB	19,074	12,001	5,842	3,728	4,437	2,512	---	1,594 855
FRESH	GAL	1,192	964	2,999	2,666	185	176	---	472 494
NONFAT DRY	LB	1,603	45,403	929	28,707	174	9,830	---	122 6,363
OTHER	---	---	---	17,454	23,906	---	---	---	3,660 5,127
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	LB	1,065,072	1,401,076	193,047	260,856	186,065	237,965	---	32,213 44,970
TALLOW:	LB	61,005	120,763	13,903	24,465	10,325	20,903	---	2,067 4,960
EDIBLE	LB	2,284	15,466	368	2,795	1,874	0	---	334 0
INEDIBLE	LB	955,370	1,272,984	167,250	217,839	167,033	207,810	---	28,125 37,590
OTHER	LB	46,321	71,864	11,527	15,758	6,833	9,252	---	1,687 2,420
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	LB	390,173	464,809	289,693	208,133	86,143	77,970	---	65,505 54,071
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	LB	38,609	40,247	59,853	53,406	7,233	7,650	---	10,385 10,438
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	LB	135,277	143,715	127,064	115,245	37,273	26,897	---	34,851 22,721
OTHER	LB	153,547	210,684	62,839	82,913	28,750	30,744	---	11,687 12,005
	LB	62,740	76,162	39,936	46,569	12,887	12,680	---	8,581 8,906
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY, LIVE:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	4,452	4,746	7,498	8,548	811	861	---	1,485 1,395
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	10,916	8,518	2,601	2,719	2,329	1,266	---	699 463
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	946 697
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHICKENS	LB	91,834	172,020	38,616	69,972	18,080	20,850	---	7,484 8,858
TURKEYS	LB	35,862	27,136	25,837	14,932	7,719	2,138	---	5,158 1,178
OTHER	LB	8,223	11,397	4,082	5,868	1,589	1,593	---	814 863
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	2,237	2,810	2,090	2,041	916	428	---	382 405
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	5,823	6,546	10,052	12,264	1,632	1,637	---	2,423 2,323
EGGS, DRIED	LB	3,951	8,488	3,577	5,520	790	1,971	---	467 1,346
EGGS OTHERWISE PRESERVED	LB	422	729	1,986	1,986	52	161	---	87 437
	LB	1,522	1,957	909	1,223	109	388	---	53 276

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TABLE 20 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY	MARCH		VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/2	75/76	76/77 1/2		1977 1/2	1976	
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
HIDES AND SKINS, INC. FURSKINS									
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	NO	11,524	12,765	306,509	452,438	---	---	72,925	94,058
FURSKINS	---	---	---	164,608	264,453	2,388	2,252	38,286	49,828
OTHER	---	---	---	121,718	158,385	---	---	31,001	38,791
				20,183	29,601	---	---	3,638	5,439
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS									
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	LB	693	629	37,916	42,730	---	---	7,618	6,239
SAUSAGE CASINGS	LB	6,486	8,734	339	443	122	214	50	106
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	LB	4,784	3,054	10,954	14,153	1,239	1,242	1,512	1,784
OTHER	---	---	---	10,468	10,244	1,130	425	3,075	1,375
				16,155	17,890	---	---	2,983	2,974
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS									
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	1,463	2,367	10,759,707	11,385,354	---	---	1,647,620	2,051,545
COTTON, RAW	RBA	1,375	2,258	371,812	806,969	397	553	105,351	190,193
LINTERS	RBA	89	109	367,384	801,920	381	536	104,613	189,278
				4,428	5,048	17	16	738	915
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS									
CANNED	---	---	---	343,053	367,876	---	---	60,498	64,344
CHERRIES	LB	155,161	165,740	43,125	47,785	22,844	27,622	6,517	8,314
FRUIT COCKTAIL	LB	13,910	6,116	4,150	2,822	993	1,063	390	527
PEACHES	LB	46,511	46,830	13,268	13,562	9,049	8,506	2,517	2,496
PEARS	LB	57,537	65,478	14,073	15,511	9,101	11,617	2,272	2,851
PINEAPPLES	LB	4,593	3,679	1,224	1,034	698	514	184	149
OTHER	LB	18,257	19,638	5,335	5,730	673	2,010	236	562
DRIED	LB	14,373	24,000	5,075	9,126	2,330	3,913	918	1,729
PRUNES	LB	167,552	116,986	63,961	57,384	22,171	14,535	8,672	7,919
GRAPES (RAISINS)	LB	76,613	61,332	26,033	24,036	10,357	7,554	3,822	2,931
OTHER	LB	73,795	40,847	28,942	24,765	10,039	6,054	3,755	4,344
FRESH	LB	17,132	14,838	8,986	8,583	1,775	927	1,095	644
APPLES	LB	1,244,720	1,325,411	179,401	189,312	263,500	260,701	34,102	34,156
BERRIES	LB	142,220	158,626	20,253	25,257	19,086	16,208	2,694	2,520
GRAPEFRUITS	LB	9,244	11,557	3,269	4,284	2,752	4,887	1,530	2,539
GRAPES	LB	317,674	383,789	31,363	39,902	102,326	104,495	9,750	10,886
LEMONS AND LINES	LB	160,428	95,925	32,165	23,403	2,841	493	806	167
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	LB	143,778	207,465	31,750	32,906	35,157	43,238	6,578	5,422
PEARS	LB	392,012	397,416	47,102	50,885	91,706	82,158	10,895	10,702
OTHER	LB	48,858	35,551	7,429	5,299	4,548	3,204	814	507
FRUIT JUICES	LB	30,306	35,083	6,050	7,369	5,084	6,018	1,034	1,412
GRAPEFRUIT	GAL	21,007	26,427	50,335	64,077	4,133	5,104	10,106	12,511
ORANGE	GAL	3,159	3,615	5,640	6,741	720	894	1,155	1,559
OTHER	GAL	12,404	15,192	34,004	43,977	2,575	2,753	7,003	7,874
FROZEN FRUITS	GAL	5,445	7,621	10,690	13,358	834	1,458	1,948	3,078
OTHER	LB	12,004	11,457	3,199	4,450	1,722	964	518	370
				3,033	4,868	---	---	583	1,074
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS									
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	---	---	---	112,802	134,059	---	---	12,896	18,456
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	LB	60,227	76,743	55,327	68,154	7,937	12,194	7,395	11,293
OTHER	---	36,997	85,715	33,935	37,481	4,692	1,906	1,843	876
				23,540	28,424	---	---	3,658	6,288

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TABLE 20 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY		MARCH	
		QUANTITY	THOU.	75/76	76/77 1/	THOU.	1976	1977 1/	VALUE
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS									
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS									
FEED GRAINS									
BARLEY	MT	25,520		5,986,248	4,857,928	3,873	849,495	765,129	
BURN	MT	25,377		3,073,717	3,038,452	3,847	464,944	507,673	
CORN	BU	12,741	39,413	3,052,259	3,017,010	3,847	461,150	504,377	
GRAIN SORGHUMS	BU	852,637	891,429	2,625,421	2,615,484	20,800	395,421	431,823	
OATS	BU	130,824	144,442	377,702	388,658	20,800	60,253	59,658	
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	BU	8,169	3,497	13,661	6,203	97	112	150	
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	LB	17,785	31,176	2,623	4,478	4,160	516	491	
CORNMEAL	LB	17,187	14,030	1,375	1,046	4,124	307	129	
CORN STARCH	CWT	960	751	8,269	6,526	187	1,535	793	
OATMEAL AND GROATS	LB	36,145	37,204	7,736	7,509	6,430	1,392	1,476	
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	CWT	85	84	1,010	1,130	0	0	345	
RICE	LB	2,442	4,943	444	754	118	45	62	
MILLED	LB	1,865,613	2,296,329	263,775	312,057	298,654	40,161	61,717	
HUSKED, BROWN	LB	1,154,993	1,983,385	196,349	279,003	132,838	23,410	52,120	
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	BU	710,620	312,945	87,426	33,053	165,816	16,750	9,597	
WHEAT	BU	339	17	959	40	2	3	14	
WHEAT FLOUR	BU	590,958	399,555	2,557,916	1,434,112	79,078	335,384	206,890	
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	BU	576,777	372,060	2,491,213	1,324,665	77,353	328,313	180,730	
BAKERY PRODUCTS	BU	9,469	20,870	42,037	78,909	1,577	6,424	22,803	
DIETETIC FOODS	BU	4,712	6,625	24,660	30,537	148	830	3,358	
BLENDING FOOD PRODUCTS	LB	23,158	25,811	11,827	12,724	3,673	1,970	2,416	
OTHER	LB	994	829	968	1,177	132	163	193	
	LB	171,348	205,745	29,943	34,589	19,998	3,050	2,657	
	LB			27,143	24,778		3,821	4,569	
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL, CAKE & MEAL									
HAY, FODDER, ROOTS, ALFALFAS, ETC	STN	108	157	169,575	306,387	17	28,866	59,960	
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	STN	564	829	60,456	172,489	97	10,338	20,893	
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	STN	35	445	3,521	15,416	3	312	2,230	
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	STN	52	102	4,505	10,827	13	1,167	3,092	
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	STN	41	89	3,237	8,899	7	470	1,918	
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	STN	117	153	32,210	46,313	24	7,250	7,456	
OTHER	STN			57,268	107,642		8,058	23,336	
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS									
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	2,597	2,756	2,579,425	3,549,817	512	408,678	711,831	
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	2,484	2,665	390,802	514,806	512	76,216	136,387	
OTHER	STN	113	92	372,362	497,993	498	73,780	133,415	
OILSEEDS	STN			1,916,384	2,672,864	14	2,436	2,972	
FLAXSEED	BU	675	0	4,562	0	0	0	0	
SOYBEANS	BU	330,030	353,379	1,770,520	2,495,066	52,297	267,772	455,135	
SUNFLOWER SEED	LB	437,262	624,770	56,398	81,835	6,267	821	1,563	
SAFFLOWER SEED	LB	68,777	12,636	7,284	1,930	114	9	1	
PEANUTS	LB	201,103	253,962	60,953	78,276	24,916	6,921	13,705	
OTHER	LB			16,067	15,758		4,679	3,679	
VEG OILS AND WAXES	LB	998,822	1,332,836	264,977	348,057	204,038	50,664	99,088	
COTTONSEED OIL	LB	282,034	360,993	74,116	88,371	51,839	12,271	28,178	
SOYBEAN OIL	LB	405,850	756,201	90,705	182,665	89,836	16,247	58,055	
PEANUT OIL	LB	33,861	18,771	15,840	5,632	17,649	7,913	2,776	
OTHER	LB	277,078	196,872	84,316	71,389	44,714	14,240	10,079	
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	LB	15,382	29,776	7,262	14,090	2,877	1,597	2,273	

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TABLE 20 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1976		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY		QUANTITY		THOU.		THOU.		THOU.		THOU.	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	387,943	369,796	599,716	613,531	47,462	56,161	72,747	93,121				
BURLEY	LB	31,526	39,250	58,927	77,110	11,967	17,921	24,423	35,977				
CIGAR WRAPPER	LB	2,348	2,013	16,100	13,369	397	220	2,302	1,162				
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	LB	9,805	8,705	12,562	12,011	2,794	1,645	3,783	2,537				
FLUE-CURED	LB	266,172	245,445	481,855	475,537	23,485	24,747	38,854	45,051				
MARYLAND	LB	1,796	2,422	2,676	3,849	347	232	458	335				
BULK SMOKING TOBACCO	LB	5,210	5,521	8,574	8,218	385	1,466	598	2,278				
OTHER	LB	70,086	66,440	19,021	23,437	8,087	9,930	2,228	5,780				
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	291,349	367,798	---	---	58,859	54,465				
CANNED	LB	119,773	155,254	34,158	40,341	19,216	17,836	5,201	5,345				
ASPARAGUS	LB	1,419	1,129	713	639	184	89	98	62				
CORN	LB	31,214	30,751	9,246	8,202	4,495	4,254	1,187	1,065				
SOUPS	LB	13,760	15,245	4,036	4,903	2,488	1,932	714	700				
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	LB	41,994	30,488	11,405	9,274	6,634	4,731	1,703	1,395				
OTHER	LB	31,393	77,649	3,758	17,323	5,416	6,831	1,499	2,123				
PULSES	LB	289,257	355,176	52,964	62,682	38,398	39,253	6,631	6,699				
DRIED BEANS	LB	144,136	195,987	30,972	33,206	13,879	23,041	2,854	3,652				
DRIED PEAS, INC COW AND CHICK	LB	78,418	109,047	10,402	18,004	13,724	14,282	1,728	2,306				
DRIED LENTILS	LB	66,702	50,142	11,590	11,473	10,795	1,930	2,050	541				
FRESH	LB	979,004	1,403,500	98,243	137,429	273,394	153,016	23,753	17,235				
ASPARAGUS	LB	2,100	1,138	865	517	1,322	498	568	271				
LETTUCE	LB	200,753	204,651	17,108	19,339	35,995	33,589	3,516	3,185				
ONIONS	LB	105,287	215,793	11,573	20,725	21,494	9,099	2,281	1,245				
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	LB	340,973	631,649	21,339	42,992	150,069	42,462	9,032	2,835				
TOMATOES	LB	90,311	76,663	14,166	13,182	13,240	1,289	2,227	478				
OTHER	LB	238,575	273,602	33,092	40,495	51,274	66,079	6,131	9,220				
FROZEN VEGETABLES	LB	38,675	75,511	9,298	17,266	7,649	11,641	1,790	2,851				
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	LB	19,668	17,272	19,211	18,550	2,848	1,992	2,869	2,676				
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	LB	30,355	67,285	15,887	32,138	7,927	12,433	4,010	5,723				
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	GAL	2,264	2,898	2,844	3,653	526	376	731	443				
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	LB	23,375	25,559	11,432	13,771	4,633	4,647	2,256	2,557				
OTHER	---	---	---	47,312	62,149	---	---	11,618	10,936				
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	305,726	360,990	---	---	50,229	73,047				
COFFEE	LB	26,160	19,973	28,186	36,882	4,058	4,618	4,889	8,182				
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	LB	5,416	5,779	14,358	18,251	765	818	832	1,572				
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	LB	6,212	8,300	32,460	45,826	1,404	1,754	5,982	8,333				
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	---	36,076	46,498	---	---	7,385	9,984				
HONEY	LB	2,254	1,775	1,384	1,153	276	341	201	243				
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---	15,257	22,093	---	---	3,304	4,118				
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	LB	187,828	224,721	86,799	103,274	36,715	72,058	12,758	25,308				
SPICES	LB	5,441	5,914	5,682	6,786	879	1,177	1,000	1,279				
OTHER	---	---	---	85,522	80,227	---	---	13,876	14,027				

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TABLE 21 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	: OCTOBER-MARCH :		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE	NO	430.132	557.449	413.165	707.185
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANHYDROUS MILK FAT	LB	1.419	1.566	1.162	.517
BUTTER	LB	1.006	.869	.953	1.121
CHEESE AND CURD	LB	1.271	1.279	1.380	1.269
MILK AND CREAM:					
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	LB	.279	.295	.284	.305
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	LB	.306	.311	.382	.340
FRESH	GAL	2.516	2.765	2.549	2.804
NONFAT DRY	LB	.577	.632	.700	.647
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	LB	.181	.176	.173	.189
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	LB	.228	.203	.200	.237
TALLOW:					
EDIBLE	LB	.161	.181	.178	---
INEDIBLE	LB	.175	.171	.168	.181
OTHER	LB	.249	.219	.247	.262
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	LB	.742	.641	.760	.693
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	LB	1.550	1.327	1.436	1.365
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	LB	.939	.802	.935	.845
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	LB	.409	.394	.407	.390
OTHER	LB	.637	.664	.666	.702
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY, LIVE:					
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	1.684	1.801	1.832	1.620
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	.238	.319	.300	.365
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN:					
CHICKENS	LB	.420	.407	.414	.425
TURKEYS	LB	.720	.550	.668	.551
OTHER	LB	.436	.515	.512	.542
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	LB	.577	.726	.417	.946
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	1.473	1.435	1.485	1.419
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	.618	.650	.591	.683
EGGS, DRIED	LB	1.781	2.725	1.666	2.719
EGGS OTHERWISE PRESERVED	LB	.598	.625	.483	.712

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TABLE 21 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	NO	14.284	20.717	16.032	22.125
FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	LB	.489	.705	.407	.493
SAUSAGE CASINGS	LB	1.689	1.620	1.220	1.437
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	CLB	2.188	3.354	2.720	3.238
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	40.014	27.844	28.925	34.730
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	254.074	340.939	265.243	344.033
COTTON, RAW	PBA	267.258	355.170	274.831	352.887
LINTERS	RBA	49.891	46.293	44.620	55.600
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
CANNED	LB	.278	.288	.285	.301
CHERRIES	LB	.298	.461	.393	.496
FRUIT COCKTAIL	LB	.235	.290	.278	.293
PEACHES	LB	.245	.237	.250	.245
PEARS	LB	.266	.251	.263	.290
PINEAPPLES	LB	.232	.292	.351	.280
OTHER	LB	.353	.380	.394	.442
DRIED	LB	.382	.491	.391	.545
PRUNES	LB	.343	.392	.369	.388
GRAPES (RAISINS)	LB	.392	.606	.374	.718
OTHER	LB	.524	.578	.617	.695
FRESH	LB	.144	.143	.129	.131
APPLES	LB	.142	.159	.141	.155
BERRIES	LB	.354	.371	.556	.520
GRAPEFRUITS	LB	.039	.104	.095	.104
GRAPES	LB	.200	.244	.284	.338
LEMONS AND LIMES	LB	.221	.159	.187	.125
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	LB	.120	.128	.119	.130
PEARS	LB	.152	.149	.179	.158
OTHER	LB	.200	.210	.203	.235
FRUIT JUICES	GAL	2.396	2.425	2.445	2.451
GRAPEFRUIT	GAL	1.785	1.865	1.603	1.745
ORANGE	GAL	2.741	2.895	2.716	2.860
OTHER	GAL	1.963	1.753	2.335	2.111
FROZEN FRUITS	LB	.256	.388	.301	.384
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
ALMONDS, SHELLLED BASIS	LB	.919	.868	.932	.926
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLLED BASIS	LB	.390	.437	.393	.460
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 21 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH 75/76	76/77	MARCH 1976	1977
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS	MT	120.444	111.075	120.036	111.797
FEED GRAINS	MT	120.275	110.838	119.868	111.564
BARLEY	BU	2.784	2.706	2.576	2.815
CORN	BU	3.079	2.822	3.069	2.875
GRAIN SORGHUMS	BU	2.887	2.691	2.897	2.587
OATS	BU	1.672	1.774	1.162	2.599
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	LB	.148	.144	.124	.154
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	LB	.080	.075	.074	.070
CORNMEAL	CWT	8.618	8.693	8.199	8.438
CORN STARCH	LB	.214	.202	.217	.197
OATMEAL AND GROATS	CWT	11.902	13.472	---	12.963
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	LB	.132	.152	.377	.209
RICE	LB	.152	.136	.134	.131
MILLED	LB	.170	.141	.176	.141
HUSKED, BROWN	LB	.123	.106	.101	.093
RYE	BU	3.106	2.343	1.700	1.921
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	BU	4.328	3.589	4.241	3.462
WHEAT	BU	4.319	3.560	4.244	3.433
WHEAT FLOUR	BU	4.439	3.781	3.957	3.474
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	BU	5.234	4.609	5.596	6.125
BAKERY PRODUCTS	LB	.511	.493	.536	.484
DIETETIC FOODS	LB	.974	1.419	1.237	.985
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	LB	.175	.168	.152	.162
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE&MEAL	---	---	---	---	---
HAY, FODDER, ROOTS, LUPINES, ETC	STN	77.717	94.276	76.468	79.131
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	STN	107.142	123.578	106.692	122.600
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	STN	99.310	34.641	89.953	117.333
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	STN	86.872	106.546	89.944	123.760
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	STN	78.989	99.314	69.190	106.236
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	STN	275.205	303.191	301.935	309.127
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	150.478	186.771	149.898	209.268
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	149.904	186.896	148.145	209.527
OTHER	STN	163.084	183.149	175.994	198.269
OILSEEDS	---	---	---	---	---
FLAXSEED	BU	6.755	---	---	---
SOYBEANS	BU	5.364	7.051	5.129	7.798
SUNFLOWER SEED	LB	.130	.131	.131	.135
SAFFLOWER SEED	LB	.106	.153	.075	.733
PEANUTS	LB	.303	.308	.278	.309
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEG OILS AND WAXES	LB	.265	.261	.248	.261
COTTONSEED OIL	LB	.263	.245	.237	.270
SOYBEAN OIL	LB	.223	.242	.181	.241
PEANUT OIL	LB	.468	.300	.448	.321
OTHER	LB	.304	.363	.318	.394
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	LB	.472	.473	.555	.403

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TABLE 21 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	1.546	1.659	1.533	1.658
BURLEY	LB	1.869	1.965	2.041	2.008
CIGAR WRAPPER	LB	6.857	6.640	5.795	5.277
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	LB	1.281	1.380	1.354	1.543
FLUE-CURED	LB	1.810	1.937	1.654	1.820
MARYLAND	LB	1.490	1.589	1.319	1.442
BULK SMOKING TOBACCO	LB	1.381	1.489	1.812	1.554
OTHER	LB	.271	.353	.276	.582
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	1.083	.948	1.033	.922
CANNED	LB	.285	.260	.271	.300
ASPARAGUS	LB	.502	.566	.532	.703
CORN	LB	.296	.267	.264	.250
SOUPS	LB	.293	.322	.287	.362
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	LB	.272	.304	.257	.295
OTHER	LB	.279	.223	.277	.311
PULSES	LB	.183	.176	.173	.171
DRIED BEANS	LB	.215	.169	.206	.167
DRIED PEAS, INC COW AND CHICK	LB	.133	.165	.126	.161
DRIED LENTILS	LB	.174	.229	.190	.281
FRESH	LB	.100	.098	.087	.113
ASPARAGUS	LB	.412	.454	.430	.545
LETTUCE	LB	.085	.094	.098	.095
ONIONS	LB	.110	.096	.106	.137
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	LB	.063	.068	.066	.067
TOMATOES	LB	.157	.172	.168	.371
OTHER	LB	.139	.148	.120	.140
FROZEN VEGETABLES	LB	.240	.229	.234	.245
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	LB	.977	1.074	1.007	1.343
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	LB	.523	.478	.506	.460
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	GAL	1.256	1.260	1.390	1.179
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	LB	.439	.539	.487	.550
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COFFEE	LB	1.077	1.847	1.205	1.772
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	LB	2.651	3.158	1.088	1.922
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	LB	5.226	5.521	4.262	4.750
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	---	---	---	---	---
HONEY	LB	.614	.649	.729	.714
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---	---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	LB	.462	.460	.347	.351
SPICES	LB	1.044	1.148	1.138	1.087
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---



TABLE 22 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	DOL.	DOL.
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	55,238,900	59,041,900	---	---	---	---	---	9,671,800	10,857,200
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	43,433,678	46,343,143	---	---	---	---	7,798,485	8,564,129
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	11,799,222	12,698,757	---	---	---	---	1,873,315	2,293,071
ANIMALS AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	1,039,515	1,313,403	---	---	---	---	225,695	241,526
ANIMALS LIVE, EX POULTRY	---	---	---	67,524	49,116	---	---	---	---	18,083	5,430
CATTLE	NO	112	54	48,050	29,904	34	6	13,989	4,208	4,093	2,222
OTHER	---	---	---	19,474	19,212	---	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	41,226	70,352	---	---	---	---	8,523	14,992
ANHYDROUS MILK FAT	KG	7	11	21	37	2	1	4	1	4	1
BUTTER	KG	111	86	245	164	25	17	52	43	---	---
CHEESE AND CURD	KG	2,223	2,151	6,229	6,062	431	417	1,311	1,166	---	---
MILK AND CREAM:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	KG	12,212	7,812	7,508	5,081	1,929	1,402	1,208	943	---	---
DRY, WHOLE MILK AND CREAM	KG	8,654	5,444	5,842	3,728	2,012	1,139	1,694	855	---	---
FRESH	LIT	4,511	3,649	2,999	2,666	701	666	472	494	---	---
NONFAT DRY	KG	730	20,595	929	28,707	79	4,459	122	6,363	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	17,454	23,906	---	---	3,666	5,127	---	---
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	KG	483,117	671,816	193,047	260,856	84,399	107,941	32,213	44,970	---	---
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	KG	27,713	54,778	13,903	24,465	4,683	9,482	2,067	4,960	---	---
TALLOW:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
EDIBLE	KG	1,036	7,015	368	2,795	850	0	334	0	---	---
INEDIBLE	KG	433,356	577,425	167,250	217,839	75,766	94,263	28,125	37,590	---	---
OTHER	KG	21,011	32,598	11,527	15,758	3,100	4,197	1,687	2,420	---	---
MEATS AND MEAT PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	KG	176,982	210,837	289,693	298,133	39,075	35,367	65,505	54,071	---	---
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	KG	17,513	18,256	59,853	53,406	3,281	3,470	10,385	10,438	---	---
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	KG	61,362	65,189	127,064	115,245	16,907	12,201	34,851	22,721	---	---
OTHER	KG	69,649	95,566	62,839	82,913	13,041	13,945	11,687	12,005	---	---
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
POULTRY, LIVE:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BREEDING CHICKS	NO	4,452	4,746	7,498	8,548	811	861	1,485	1,395	---	---
BABY CHICKS, EX BREEDING CHICKS	NO	10,916	8,518	2,601	2,719	2,329	1,266	699	463	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	4,238	3,077	---	---	946	697	---	---
POULTRY MEAT, FRESH, FROZEN:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
CHICKENS	KG	41,658	78,028	38,616	69,972	8,201	9,462	7,484	8,858	---	---
TURKEYS	KG	16,267	12,309	25,837	14,932	3,501	970	5,158	1,178	---	---
OTHER	KG	3,730	5,169	4,082	5,868	721	723	814	863	---	---
POULTRY, CANNED AND SPECIALTIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
EGGS IN THE SHELL, FOR HATCHING	DOZ	1,015	1,275	1,290	2,041	415	194	382	405	---	---
EGGS IN THE SHELL, OTHER	DOZ	6,823	8,548	10,052	12,264	1,632	1,637	2,423	2,323	---	---
EGGS, DRIED	KG	5,951	8,488	3,677	5,520	790	1,371	467	1,346	---	---
EGGS, OTHERWISE PRESERVED	KG	191	331	751	1,986	24	73	87	437	---	---
	KG	690	888	909	1,223	49	176	53	276	---	---

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TABLE 22 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
HIDES AND SKINS, INC FURSKINS									
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	NO	11,524	12,765	306,509	452,438	---	---	72,925	94,058
FURSKINS	---	---	---	164,608	264,453	2,388	2,252	38,286	49,828
OTHER	---	---	---	121,718	158,385	---	---	31,001	38,791
				20,183	29,601	---	---	3,638	5,439
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS									
HAIR, ANIMAL, EX WOOL OR FINE HAIR	KG	---	---	37,916	42,730	---	---	7,618	6,239
SAUSAGE CASINGS	KG	314	285	339	443	55	97	50	106
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, INC FINE HAIR	KG	2,942	3,962	10,954	14,153	562	563	1,512	1,784
OTHER	---	2,170	1,385	10,468	10,244	513	193	3,075	1,375
				16,155	17,890	---	---	2,983	2,974
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS									
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	1,463	2,367	371,812	806,969	397	553	105,351	190,193
COTTON, RAW	RBA	1,375	2,258	367,384	801,920	381	536	104,613	189,278
LINTERS	RBA	89	109	4,428	5,048	17	16	738	915
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS									
CANNED	---	---	---	343,053	367,876	---	---	60,498	64,344
CHERRIES	KG	70,390	75,180	43,125	47,785	10,362	12,529	6,517	8,314
FRUIT COCKTAIL	KG	6,309	2,774	4,150	2,822	450	482	390	527
PEACHES	KG	21,098	21,242	13,268	13,562	4,105	3,858	2,517	2,496
PEARS	KG	26,099	29,701	14,073	15,511	4,128	5,270	2,272	2,851
PINEAPPLES	KG	2,083	1,669	1,224	1,034	317	233	184	149
OTHER	KG	8,281	8,908	5,335	5,730	305	912	236	562
DRIED	KG	6,519	10,886	5,075	9,126	1,057	1,775	918	1,729
PRUNES	KG	76,001	53,065	63,961	57,384	10,057	6,593	8,672	7,919
GRAPES (RAISINS)	KG	34,754	27,806	26,033	24,036	4,698	3,826	3,822	2,931
OTHER	KG	33,473	18,528	28,942	24,765	4,554	2,746	3,755	4,344
FRESH	KG	7,774	6,730	8,986	8,583	805	421	1,095	644
APPLES	KG	564,605	601,207	179,401	189,312	119,524	118,254	34,102	34,156
BERRIES	KG	64,511	71,953	20,253	25,257	8,657	7,352	2,694	2,520
GRAPEFRUITS	KG	4,193	5,242	3,269	4,284	1,248	2,217	1,530	2,839
GRAPES	KG	144,188	174,086	31,383	39,902	46,415	47,399	9,750	10,886
LEMONS AND LIMES	KG	72,770	43,511	32,165	23,409	1,289	224	806	167
ORANGES, TANGERINES, & CLEMENTINES	KG	65,218	94,106	31,750	32,906	15,947	19,613	6,572	5,422
PEARS	KG	177,816	180,268	47,102	50,885	41,598	37,287	10,895	10,702
OTHER	KG	22,162	16,126	7,429	5,299	2,063	1,453	814	507
FRUIT JUICES	LIT	13,747	15,914	6,050	7,369	2,306	2,730	1,034	1,412
GRAPEFRUIT	LIT	79,519	100,035	50,335	64,077	15,646	19,321	10,106	12,511
ORANGE	LIT	11,957	13,682	5,640	6,741	2,727	3,383	1,155	1,559
OTHER	LIT	46,952	57,506	34,004	43,977	9,761	10,419	7,003	7,874
FROZEN FRUITS	KG	20,610	28,847	10,690	13,358	3,159	5,519	1,948	3,078
OTHER	KG	5,445	5,197	3,199	4,450	781	437	518	370
		4,531	10,565	3,033	4,868	894	2,365	583	1,074
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	112,802	134,059	---	---	12,896	18,456
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	KG	27,319	34,811	55,327	68,154	3,600	5,531	7,395	11,293
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	KG	39,462	38,880	33,935	37,481	2,128	865	1,843	876
OTHER	---	---	---	23,540	28,424	---	---	3,658	6,288

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TABLE 22 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS									
FEED GRAINS AND PRODUCTS									
FEED GRAINS	MT	25,516	27,351	5,986,248	4,857,928	---	---	849,495	786,129
BARLEY	MT	25,377	27,220	3,073,717	3,038,452	3,873	4,540	464,944	507,673
CORN	MT	277	858	3,052,259	3,017,010	3,847	4,521	461,150	504,377
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	21,659	22,642	35,475	106,665	45	21	5,364	2,746
OATS	MT	3,323	3,669	2,625,421	2,515,484	3,272	3,815	395,421	431,823
MALT AND FLOUR, INC BARLEY MALT	MT	119	51	377,702	388,658	528	684	60,253	69,658
CORN GRITS AND HOMINY	KG	8,067	14,141	13,661	6,203	1	1	112	150
CORNMEAL	KG	7,796	6,364	2,623	4,478	1,887	1,444	516	491
CORN STARCH	KG	43,523	34,054	1,375	1,046	1,871	831	307	129
OATMEAL AND GROATS	KG	16,396	16,876	8,269	6,526	8,490	4,265	1,535	793
OATMEAL & OATS, ROLLED, ETC	KG	3,850	3,804	7,736	7,509	2,917	3,398	1,392	1,476
RICE	KG	1,108	2,242	1,010	1,130	0	1,206	0	345
MILLED	KG	846,242	1,041,615	283,775	312,057	135,470	213,923	40,161	61,717
HUSKED, BROWN	KG	523,905	899,663	196,349	279,003	60,255	167,224	23,410	52,120
RYE	MT	322,337	141,952	87,426	33,053	75,214	46,699	16,750	9,597
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MT	16,083	10,874	959	40	0	0	3	14
WHEAT	MT	15,597	10,126	2,557,916	1,434,112	2,152	1,627	335,384	206,890
WHEAT FLOUR	KG	188,753	415,763	2,491,219	1,324,665	2,105	1,433	328,313	183,730
OTHER WHEAT PRODUCTS	KG	111,289	156,426	42,037	78,909	31,487	130,864	6,240	22,803
BAKERY PRODUCTS	KG	10,505	11,708	24,660	30,537	3,495	12,909	830	3,358
DIETETIC FOODS	KG	451	376	11,827	12,724	1,666	2,266	1,970	2,416
BLENDED FOOD PRODUCTS	KG	77,723	93,326	968	1,177	60	89	163	193
OTHER	KG	---	---	29,943	34,589	9,071	7,417	3,050	2,657
				27,143	24,778	---	---	3,821	4,569
FEEDS AND FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE&MEAL									
HAY,FODDER,ROOTS,LUPINES,ETC	MT	---	---	169,575	306,387	---	---	28,866	59,960
CORN BYPRODUCTS, FEED	MT	98	142	8,378	14,801	15	12	1,272	1,034
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	MT	512	752	60,456	102,489	88	155	10,338	20,893
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED	MT	32	404	3,521	15,416	3	17	2,230	2,230
ALFALFA HAY CUBES	MT	47	92	4,505	10,827	12	23	1,167	3,092
ANIMAL FEED, PREPARED	MT	37	81	3,237	8,899	6	16	470	1,918
OTHER	MT	106	139	32,210	46,313	22	22	7,250	7,456
				57,268	107,642	---	---	8,058	23,336
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS									
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	12,200	13,200	2,579,425	3,549,817	2,017	2,394	408,678	711,831
SOYBEAN OIL CAKE AND MEAL	MT	2,356	2,501	390,802	514,806	464	591	76,216	136,387
OTHER	MT	2,253	2,417	372,362	497,993	452	578	73,780	133,415
OILSEEDS	MT	103	83	18,440	16,813	13	14	2,436	2,972
FLAXSEED	MT	9,394	10,082	1,916,384	2,672,864	1,458	1,628	280,202	474,083
SOYBEANS	MT	17	0	4,562	0	0	0	0	0
SUNFLOWER SEED	MT	8,984	9,617	1,770,520	2,495,066	1,423	1,588	267,772	435,135
SAFFLOWER SEED	KG	198,342	283,396	56,998	81,835	2,843	5,258	821	1,563
PEANUTS	KG	31,197	5,732	7,284	1,930	52	0	9	1
OTHER	KG	91,220	115,197	60,953	78,276	11,302	20,149	6,921	13,705
VEG OILS AND WAXES	KG	71,812	59,241	16,067	15,758	20,436	13,982	4,679	3,679
COTTONSEED OIL	KG	453,065	604,575	264,977	348,057	92,552	171,948	50,664	99,088
SOYBEAN OIL	KG	127,930	163,746	74,116	88,371	23,514	47,277	12,271	29,178
PEANUT OIL	KG	184,093	343,013	90,705	182,665	40,750	109,171	16,240	58,055
OTHER	KG	15,359	8,515	15,840	5,632	8,006	3,925	2,776	2,776
PROTEIN SUBSTANCES	KG	125,682	89,301	84,316	71,399	20,282	11,615	14,240	10,079
		6,977	13,506	7,262	14,090	1,305	2,559	1,597	2,273

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TABLE 22--U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED									
BURLEY	KG	175,971	167,740	599,716	613,531	21,529	25,474	72,747	93,121
CIGAR WRAPPER	KG	14,300	17,804	58,927	77,110	5,428	8,129	24,423	35,977
DARK-FIRED KENTUCKY AND TENNESSEE	KG	1,065	913	16,100	13,369	100	100	2,302	1,162
FLUE-CURED	KG	4,448	3,949	12,562	12,011	1,267	746	3,783	2,537
MARYLAND	KG	120,736	111,334	481,855	475,537	10,653	11,225	38,854	45,051
BULK SMOKING TOBACCO	KG	815	1,099	2,676	3,849	158	105	458	335
OTHER	KG	2,817	2,504	8,574	8,218	175	565	698	2,278
	KG	31,791	30,137	19,021	23,437	3,668	4,504	2,228	5,780
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS									
CANNED	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ASPARAGUS	KG	54,332	70,423	291,349	387,798	8,717	8,091	58,859	54,465
CORN	KG	644	512	34,158	40,341	83	40	5,201	5,345
SOUPS	KG	14,159	13,949	9,246	8,202	2,039	1,929	1,187	1,065
TOMATOES, TOMATO SAUCE AND PUREE	KG	6,241	6,915	4,036	4,903	1,129	877	714	700
OTHER	KG	19,048	13,829	11,405	9,274	3,009	2,146	1,703	1,395
PULSES	KG	14,240	35,218	8,758	17,323	2,457	3,098	1,499	2,123
DRIED BEANS	KG	131,207	161,108	52,964	62,682	17,417	17,805	6,631	6,699
DRIED PEAS, INC COW AND CHICK	KG	65,380	88,900	30,972	33,206	6,296	10,452	2,854	3,852
DRIED LENTILS	KG	35,570	49,464	10,402	18,004	6,225	6,478	1,728	2,306
FRESH	KG	30,256	22,744	11,590	11,473	4,896	875	2,050	541
ASPARAGUS	KG	444,076	636,628	98,243	137,249	124,012	69,408	23,753	17,235
LETTUCE	KG	953	516	865	517	599	226	568	271
ONIONS	KG	91,064	92,830	17,108	19,339	16,327	15,236	3,516	3,185
POTATOES, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	KG	48,212	97,884	11,573	20,725	9,750	4,127	2,281	1,245
TOMATOES	KG	154,666	286,516	21,339	42,992	68,071	19,261	9,032	2,835
OTHER	KG	40,965	34,777	14,166	13,182	6,006	585	2,227	478
FROZEN VEGETABLES	KG	108,218	124,106	33,092	40,495	23,258	29,973	6,131	9,220
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	KG	17,543	34,252	9,298	17,266	3,470	5,281	1,790	2,851
SOUPS AND VEGETABLES, DEHYDRATED	KG	8,922	7,835	19,211	18,550	1,292	904	2,869	2,676
TOMATO JUICE, CANNED	LIT	13,770	30,521	15,887	32,138	3,596	5,640	4,010	5,723
VEGETABLE SEASONINGS	KG	8,569	10,971	2,844	3,653	1,991	1,424	731	443
OTHER	---	10,603	11,593	11,432	13,771	2,102	2,108	2,256	2,557
	---	---	---	47,312	62,149	---	---	11,618	10,936
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS									
COFFEE	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, ETC	KG	11,865	9,060	305,726	360,990	---	---	50,229	73,047
ESSENTIAL OILS AND RESINOIDS	KG	2,457	2,621	28,186	36,882	1,841	2,095	4,889	8,182
FLAVORING SIRUPS, SUGARS, EXTRACTS	KG	2,818	3,765	14,358	18,251	347	371	832	1,572
HONEY	---	---	---	32,460	45,826	637	796	5,982	8,333
NURSERY STOCK	---	---	---	36,076	46,498	---	---	7,385	9,984
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	KG	1,023	805	1,384	1,153	125	155	201	243
SPICES	---	---	---	15,257	22,093	---	---	3,304	4,118
OTHER	KG	85,196	101,931	86,799	103,274	16,653	32,684	12,758	25,308
	KG	2,468	2,683	5,682	6,786	399	534	1,000	1,279
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1/ PRELIMINARY.

TABLE 23 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO EC (9): QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH			MARCH			VALUE			1977 1/		
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/
FEED GRAINS	MT	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/
CORN	MT	6,927	11,155	823,981	1,242,891	1,720	973	113,831	973	195,017	102,169	185,844	195,017
GRAIN SORGHUMS	MT	6,149	10,014	733,547	1,112,963	1,634	876	102,169	876	185,844	102,169	185,844	185,844
BARLEY	MT	682	540	76,677	55,352	66	78	9,284	78	6,690	2,379	2,483	6,690
OATS	MT	68	569	8,124	3,790	20	19	2,379	19	2,483	2,379	2,483	2,483
CORN BY-PRODUCTS	MT	47	32	5,634	3,790	0	5	0	5	680	14,791	8,419	2,848
RICE	MT	34	161	4,442	18,185	24	60	14,791	60	8,419	19,708	984	8,419
WHEAT GRAIN	MT	184	125	52,806	35,341	30	0	0	0	0	19,708	984	0
WHEAT FLOUR	MT	8	0	944	59,659	9	119	19,708	119	19,708	19,708	984	0
BEEF AND VEAL, EX VARIETY MEATS	MT	1,169	462	195,993	243	0	0	0	0	0	39	78	0
PORK, EX VARIETY MEATS	LB	1,087	2,433	3,903	3,903	377	622	813	622	813	335	2,520	555
LARD 3/	LB	166	735	173	718	195	37	48	37	48	335	2,520	185
DAIRY PRODUCTS	LB	10,138	55,113	1,951	10,385	10,593	1,764	335	1,764	335	4,338	1,254	19
POULTRY AND EGGS	---	---	---	182	184	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
LIVE POULTRY	---	---	---	22,732	11,349	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BROILERS AND FRYERS	---	---	---	772	902	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
STEERING CHICKENS	LB	2,393	1,666	1,278	1,186	241	267	151	267	151	380	404	116
TURKEYS	LB	109	40	54	20	0	4	2	4	2	3,685	505	0
OTHER FRESH POULTRY	LB	24,152	11,695	18,868	7,073	949	5,171	23	5,171	23	3,685	505	1
EGGS	---	44	80	28	26	1	41	2	41	2	380	404	1
OTHER	---	---	---	1,733	2,142	---	---	---	---	---	3,444	4,567	4,567
	---	---	---	13,378	30,531	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
TOTAL VARIABLE-LEVY ITEMS	---	---	---	1,119,470	1,413,389	---	---	---	---	---	158,049	216,446	216,446
NONVARIABLE-LEVY COMMODITIES:													
CANNED POULTRY 4/	LB	156	249	179	301	6	73	39	73	39	3,789	12,172	21
COTTON, EX LINTERS	RBA	47	181	13,247	66,578	32	13	3,789	13	12,172	12,447	12,248	12,447
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	70,294	67,716	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
FRESH FRUITS	---	---	---	22,449	24,327	41,048	46,524	6,058	46,524	6,058	4,903	4,903	4,903
CITRUS	---	---	---	16,615	21,098	38,541	42,576	1,162	42,576	1,162	5,446	5,446	5,446
ORANGES AND TANGERINES	---	---	---	2,597	1,665	6,026	10,353	250	10,353	250	3,093	3,093	3,093
LEMON AND LIMES	---	---	---	2,419	4,867	6,546	5,446	3	5,446	3	385	385	385
GRAPEFRUITS	---	---	---	11,573	14,470	25,969	26,746	31	26,746	31	117	117	117
OTHER	---	---	---	25	96	0	31	3	31	3	8	8	8
APPLES	---	---	---	1,378	531	602	2,250	385	2,250	385	1,250	1,250	1,250
GRAPES	---	---	---	2,018	308	0	26	858	26	858	3,360	2,398	3,360
OTHER	---	---	---	2,438	2,390	1,905	1,671	9,528	1,671	9,528	2,091	1,455	2,091
DRIED FRUITS	---	---	---	24,984	19,442	5,655	9,528	2,091	9,528	2,091	2,141	1,927	2,141
GRAPES (RAISINS)	---	---	---	6,672	5,059	981	2,907	2,091	2,907	2,091	1,303	1,219	1,303
PRUNES	---	---	---	15,298	11,681	4,398	6,029	592	6,029	592	454	535	454
OTHER	---	---	---	3,014	2,703	276	1,088	731	1,088	731	657	1,078	657
FRUIT JUICES	---	---	---	9,500	10,520	817	1,088	2,141	1,088	2,141	1,219	1,219	1,219
ORANGE	---	---	---	6,387	7,066	567	731	484	731	484	535	535	535
GRAPEFRUIT	---	---	---	1,157	1,154	69	221	384	221	384	1,078	1,078	1,078
OTHER	---	---	---	1,957	2,300	181	136	454	136	454	1,078	1,078	1,078
CANNED FRUITS 5/	---	---	---	11,529	9,499	3,671	2,267	657	2,267	657	174	187	174
PEACHES	---	---	---	33,895	9,499	3,671	2,267	657	2,267	657	174	187	174
FRUIT COCKTAIL	---	---	---	15,263	3,225	1,923	779	192	779	192	196	196	196
PINEAPPLES	---	---	---	1,243	1,122	669	658	89	658	89	340	340	340
OTHER	---	---	---	9,033	2,987	325	222	89	222	89	196	196	196
OTHER FRUITS	---	---	---	5,655	3,324	754	609	232	609	232	576	576	576

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TABLE 23.---U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS TO EC (9): QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH			MARCH			VALUE		
		QUANTITY	75/76	76/77 1/	QUANTITY	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS										
PULSE										
LBS		95,066	122,456	19,985	136,100	13,615	9,018	1,975	1,076	14,532
DRIED BEANS		59,387	81,714	14,072	14,580	9,360	4,944	1,361	1,361	2,279
DRIED PEAS		35,678	40,742	5,779	8,321	4,255	4,074	615	615	1,501
FRESH VEGETABLES		56,217	577,958	5,922	41,643	17,219	31,160	2,311	2,311	1,660
CANNED VEGETABLES		16,048	53,434	5,584	10,318	1,769	2,150	642	642	454
ASPARAGUS		846	610	348	262	9	106	43	43	6
OTHER		15,202	52,824	5,237	10,057	1,760	2,044	599	599	449
HOPS		1,407	2,549	1,276	2,178	10	17	19	19	11
OTHER VEGETABLES & PREPARATIONS										
HIDES AND SKINS										
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE		1,361	1,983	86,501	135,492	329	425	23,294	23,294	26,613
CALF AND KIP, SKINS		244	177	1,264	1,306	18	23	6,236	6,236	7,413
OTHER										
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS										
OIL CAKE AND MEAL		1,602	1,542	1,279,809	1,618,309	327	276	205,757	205,757	276,305
SOYBEAN		1,525	1,480	264,056	312,621	322	267	43,934	43,934	74,696
OTHER		77	62	11,602	301,402	5	9	42,566	42,566	73,766
OILSEEDS										
SOYBEANS		4,696	4,565	983,425	1,280,345	665	832	159,029	159,029	196,223
FLAXSEED		12	0	918,230	1,184,727	0	0	189,445	189,445	189,713
OTHER										
VEGETABLE OILS		94,710	69,348	61,863	95,618	17,362	6,447	3,583	3,583	6,510
COTTONSEED		21,654	22,113	28,686	20,642	12,949	2,091	2,194	2,194	4,670
SOYBEAN		17	719	5,456	5,485	7	5	548	548	3,252
LINSEED		22,550	75	5,716	37	8	1,455	339	339	5
OTHER		50,489	46,440	17,506	15,005	4,399	2,896	1,305	1,305	1,411
TALLOW, INEDIBLE		176,220	399,164	28,769	68,049	84,151	41,531	6,580	6,580	14,972
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED		149,031	130,878	215,332	196,668	19,676	14,206	19,461	19,461	30,155
VARIETY MEATS, FRESH OR FROZEN 4/		103,270	154,613	42,355	61,197	19,347	17,108	7,049	7,049	7,597
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS										
CORN GLUTEN FEED		459	559	54,311	60,463	118	79	6,270	6,270	8,437
CORN FOR RELIEF AND CHARITY										
OTHER										
TOTAL NONVARIABLE-LEVY ITEMS										
TOTAL										
TOTAL										

1/ PRELIMINARY 2/ GRAINS, POULTRY, AND PORK WERE SUBJECT TO VARIABLE LEVIES BEGINNING ON JULY 30, 1962; RICE, ON SEPT. 1, 1964; AND BEEF AND DAIRY PRODUCTS ON NOV. 1, 1964. 3/ LARD FOR FOOD IS A VARIABLE-LEVY COMMODITY. WHILE LARD FOR INDUSTRIAL USE IS BOUND IN THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE (GATT) AT 3 PERCENT AD VALOREM. U.S. LARD IS FOR FOOD USE. 4/ ALTHOUGH CANNED POULTRY AND PORK VARIETY MEATS ARE SUBJECT TO VARIABLE LEVIES, THESE CANNOT EXCEED THE AMOUNT OF IMPORT DUTIES BOUND IN GATT. 5/ VARIABLE-LEVY ON SUGAR-ADDED CONTENT.



TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY		MARCH		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
CATTLE, LIVE	MNO	112	54	48,050	29,904	34	6	13,989	4,208		
CANADA		44	27	18,059	10,521	21	1	8,387	227		
MEXICO		59	12	18,916	5,612	11	3	3,737	1,390		
COSTA RICA		0	1	460	1,303	0	0	88	126		
VENEZUELA		1	1	1,386	660	0	0	140	0		
BRAZIL		0	0	952	1,219	0	0	100	81		
ARGENTINA		0	0	130	932	0	0	0	356		
SPAIN		0	1	369	875	0	0	0	752		
IRAN		2	3	1,994	2,383	0	0	679	116		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		0	2	396	1,911	0	0	108	349		
JAPAN		0	3	546	2,191	0	1	106	453		
REP SOUTH AFRICA		1	0	1,504	120	0	0	218	64		
OTHER		3	3	3,339	2,177	0	0	426	295		
MILK & CREAM, CONDENSED OR EVAPORATED	MLB	26,922	17,221	7,508	5,081	4,252	3,091	1,208	943		
MEXICO		24,653	14,353	6,693	3,834	3,856	2,406	1,071	632		
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		16	247	6	235	0	94	0	94		
TRUST TERR PAC IS		533	836	177	281	236	183	78	60		
GUINEA		225	274	125	149	14	121	4	59		
OTHER		1,475	1,512	506	581	146	288	56	98		
MILK, NONFAT DRY	MLB	1,608	45,403	929	28,707	174	9,830	122	6,363		
CANADA		331	85	88	24	41	5	7	2		
MEXICO		232	665	69	144	43	23	11	9		
GUATEMALA		15	2,924	14	1,613	0	1,537	0	1,023		
COSTA RICA		0	2,016	0	1,363	0	1,000	0	672		
PANAMA		22	1,223	21	828	3	500	2	340		
BAHAMAS		56	2	23	2	0	0	0	0		
JAMAICA		39	0	35	0	0	0	0	0		
HAITI		5	1,337	5	851	0	629	0	424		
CHILE		2	7,232	2	4,800	2	1,024	2	675		
SWITZERLAND		33	0	56	0	0	0	0	0		
LEBANON		0	1,293	0	870	0	600	0	403		
KUWAIT		18	0	20	0	11	0	14	0		
INDIA		1	10,896	1	6,792	1	2	1	2		
PHILIPPINES		147	6,613	178	4,374	40	2,493	49	1,695		
HONG KONG		23	39	23	39	0	0	0	0		
JAPAN		184	86	48	65	0	0	0	0		
NEW ZEALAND		117	0	67	0	0	0	0	0		
TRUST TERR PAC IS		30	16	22	11	0	13	0	9		
MOROCCO		0	1,031	0	691	0	0	0	0		
TUNISIA		0	1,327	0	798	0	497	0	332		
EGYPT		0	1,206	0	809	0	0	0	0		
UPPER VOLTA		0	940	0	628	0	500	0	336		
OTHER		352	6,472	257	4,005	32	1,007	36	442		
LARD AND OTHER RENDERED PIG FAT	MLB	61,096	120,763	13,903	24,465	10,325	20,903	2,067	4,960		
CANADA		17,140	17,224	3,444	3,184	3,250	2,629	607	515		

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TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
MEXICO	MLB	955,370	1,272,984	167,250	217,839	167,033	207,810	28,125	37,590						
MEXICO		22,487	25,187	3,834	4,307	347	38	67	7						
COLOMBIA		21,549	41,601	3,430	6,535	1,101	9,105	183	1,357						
BRAZIL		51,961	1,102	9,018	190	0	0	0	0						
UNITED KINGDOM		43,749	112,067	7,299	18,945	18,000	14,098	2,911	2,422						
NETHERLANDS		48,467	115,886	7,861	20,250	11,474	29,960	1,675	5,362						
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		23,189	31,821	3,772	5,564	5,380	2,419	902	473						
FRANCE		0	25,672	0	4,418	0	8,449	0	1,546						
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		37,701	72,867	6,129	12,033	3,518	17,569	570	3,148						
SPAIN		53,897	56,237	8,569	9,695	12,536	10,848	2,077	1,869						
ITALY		23,114	40,853	3,709	6,840	3,159	11,656	522	2,020						
IRAQ		19,290	8,804	3,387	1,538	18,519	0	3,227	0						
IRAN		18,880	18,807	3,602	3,087	6,686	8,568	1,499	1,385						
PAKISTAN		41,950	47,783	7,499	8,691	1,455	3,168	132	1,102						
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		91,000	121,671	15,283	20,144	19,390	15,014	3,081	2,625						
JAPAN		67,039	93,193	11,326	15,959	16,499	4,504	2,935	824						
ALGERIA		27,639	23,997	4,374	4,165	0	5,713	0	1,039						
EGYPT		163,963	116,446	32,357	20,184	15,503	10,275	2,605	2,027						
NIGERIA		25,223	41,138	4,188	7,077	2,624	9,275	434	1,812						
OTHER		174,374	277,853	31,613	48,219	30,841	47,130	5,304	8,572						
BEEF AND VEAL, EXCEPT OFFALS	MLB	38,609	40,247	59,853	53,406	7,233	7,650	10,385	10,438						
CANADA		6,969	5,654	9,841	9,408	2,268	1,097	3,239	1,800						
BERMUDA		634	704	1,313	1,325	205	126	354	263						
BAHAMAS		2,967	2,872	4,215	3,845	639	655	873	833						
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		665	847	1,171	1,546	162	174	271	271						
NETHERLANDS		777	770	1,307	1,446	285	52	408	107						
IRAN		124	516	286	1,083	7	33	24	57						
SAUDI ARABIA		592	406	1,355	1,355	6	250	10	389						
HONG KONG		790	720	1,344	1,380	98	140	193	231						
JAPAN		19,161	19,211	30,648	20,003	2,375	3,168	3,936	3,936						
OTHER		6,291	8,361	9,322	12,014	1,187	1,953	1,700	2,544						
PORK, EXCEPT OFFALS	MLB	135,277	143,715	127,064	115,245	37,273	26,897	34,851	22,721						
CANADA		47,952	95,919	41,980	67,112	12,914	15,997	10,914	11,238						
JAPAN		73,830	33,167	73,590	37,149	22,287	8,668	22,341	9,839						
OTHER		13,495	14,629	11,494	10,984	2,073	2,232	1,596	1,644						
OFFALS, EDIBLE, VARIETY MEATS	MLB	153,547	210,684	62,839	82,913	28,750	30,744	11,687	12,005						
MEXICO		19,607	19,776	5,546	4,455	3,123	3,383	757	770						

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TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
				1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
UNITED KINGDOM		28,659	37,196	10,704	12,983	5,591	3,214	2,085	1,162
NETHERLANDS		16,651	25,258	6,083	9,371	3,281	2,734	1,142	1,092
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		8,350	12,286	3,538	5,920	1,749	1,673	923	933
FRANCE		46,636	69,793	21,261	29,797	6,183	8,403	2,738	3,588
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		2,829	9,559	642	2,788	236	3,230	67	787
ISRAEL		4,396	3,150	2,401	1,277	495	627	250	245
JAPAN		12,436	13,518	7,705	9,559	5,031	3,239	2,617	2,136
OTHER		13,983	20,147	4,959	6,763	3,061	4,242	1,109	1,292
BREEDING CHICKS	MNO	4,452	4,746	7,498	8,548	811	861	1,485	1,395
CANADA		1,005	836	687	650	116	54	117	60
MEXICO		113	137	406	639	15	23	52	103
VENEZUELA		133	153	422	487	39	25	188	43
BRAZIL		136	115	724	492	18	7	122	48
SPAIN		257	162	568	608	74	27	106	106
IRAN		129	223	384	301	47	69	92	94
PHILIPPINES		216	148	373	316	46	48	76	122
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		269	274	326	329	53	62	68	70
JAPAN		778	971	1,178	1,519	150	148	275	205
OTHER		1,416	1,728	2,429	3,207	252	398	401	545
POULTRY MEAT, CHICKENS, FRESH, FROZEN	MLB	91,838	172,020	38,616	69,972	18,080	20,860	7,484	8,858
CANADA		8,896	14,082	4,398	6,650	2,337	2,282	1,117	1,100
MEXICO		6,039	5,667	2,217	1,907	1,006	1,002	348	369
JAMAICA		8,196	16,718	1,418	2,393	2,605	1,956	471	252
JAMAICA		6,068	0	1,023	0	0	0	0	0
LEeward-WINDWARD IS		3,765	5,124	851	1,363	537	829	112	292
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		3,970	4,204	2,071	1,904	931	635	513	262
VENEZUELA		5	5,965	3	2,712	0	0	0	0
USSR		0	7,260	0	3,350	0	0	0	0
IRAQ		0	30,869	0	14,025	0	0	0	0
SINGAPORE		4,009	9,934	2,131	3,959	954	1,771	475	738
HONG KONG		12,487	23,820	5,547	8,399	3,145	3,762	1,439	1,388
JAPAN		23,989	29,294	12,051	14,393	3,826	5,288	1,757	2,760
FR PACIFIC ISLANDS		1,307	1,927	791	949	246	445	142	243
CANARY ISLANDS		1,898	4,004	974	1,529	385	35	235	4
OTHER		11,209	13,150	5,140	6,442	2,110	2,855	875	1,450
POULTRY MEAT, TURKEYS, FRESH, FROZEN	MLB	35,862	27,136	25,937	14,932	7,719	2,138	5,158	1,178
CANADA		5,180	3,839	2,784	2,039	1,457	292	761	205
BERMUDA		423	582	312	419	3	52	3	30
BAHAMAS		655	699	381	377	115	92	65	40
UNITED KINGDOM		4,266	1,486	3,958	1,729	1,068	92	738	87
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		15,972	9,163	11,879	4,604	2,815	809	2,004	387
AUSTRIA		201	547	258	375	35	0	38	0
SWITZERLAND		754	862	708	577	206	93	259	77
ITALY		3,180	172	2,344	132	1,113	33	773	19

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	75/76	76/77 1/	76/77 1/	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
HONG KONG		865	1,795	428	804	73	151	90	38	66	
JAPAN		562	754	370	416	90	81	98	49	48	
NIGERIA		378	2,281	172	862	98	293	117	46	117	
OTHER		3,426	4,955	2,243	2,597	645	150		384	103	
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	MNO	11,524	12,765	164,608	264,453	2,388	2,252		38,286	49,828	
CANADA		484	502	7,192	8,898	120	88		1,991	1,602	
MEXICO		1,062	622	13,810	11,801	215	90		3,225	1,913	
FRANCE		239	531	3,993	12,084	64	82		1,239	2,077	
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		196	263	2,678	5,705	41	54		666	1,266	
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		415	495	4,888	9,109	83	88		1,199	1,855	
SPAIN		396	651	5,154	12,241	59	66		876	1,347	
ITALY		565	767	7,083	15,890	185	134		2,492	2,826	
YUGOSLAVIA		53	235	798	5,336	18	45		310	969	
ROMANIA		1,032	985	9,788	18,150	119	246		1,393	4,666	
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,240	1,349	23,457	32,306	247	265		5,151	6,904	
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		375	409	5,597	7,629	60	56		1,014	1,060	
JAPAN		4,023	4,452	64,252	96,314	874	766		14,534	17,367	
OTHER		1,446	1,503	15,948	28,990	303	273		4,197	5,978	
COTTON, RAW EXCLUDING LINTERS	MRBA	1,375	2,258	367,384	801,920	381	536		104,613	189,278	
CANADA		58	104	15,187	39,506	11	16		3,233	6,058	
UNITED KINGDOM		6	44	1,721	17,218	1	6		351	2,188	
SPAIN		6	55	1,868	21,211	2	14		710	5,584	
ITALY		23	61	6,254	19,984	7	10		2,031	3,774	
INDIA		0	137	0	54,935	0	0		0	0	
BANGLADESH		107	34	26,014	13,312	77	24		19,777	8,338	
THAILAND		23	87	5,545	30,201	7	24		1,742	6,189	
INDONESIA		125	49	33,770	17,758	24	17		7,755	2,689	
PHILIPPINES		51	30	13,435	10,153	6	8		1,638	2,743	
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		394	355	111,879	121,457	89	82		26,381	27,413	
HONG KONG		13	197	3,050	63,963	6	81		1,497	26,602	
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		192	167	45,010	51,414	48	39		10,850	11,762	
JAPAN		282	589	77,921	206,331	70	126		20,110	43,606	
EGYPT		0	80	0	34,154	0	55		0	23,266	
OTHER		93	267	25,732	100,325	31	58		8,538	21,809	
FRUIT COCKTAIL, CANNED	MLB	46,511	44,830	13,268	13,562	9,049	8,506		2,517	2,496	
CANADA		25,855	22,737	7,371	6,692	5,353	3,914		1,433	1,181	
SWEDEN		2,145	2,142	569	579	459	722		129	195	
NORWAY		1,059	1,452	290	394	146	297		41	84	
NETHERLANDS		1,389	746	372	212	213	135		53	40	
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		617	1,265	207	391	51	186		21	53	
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,272	1,752	310	462	342	299		82	77	
AUSTRIA		1,296	1,249	336	322	290	76		69	19	
SWITZERLAND		3,908	4,605	1,047	1,165	497	377		145	90	
SINGAPORE		304	1,428	92	390	47	348		15	91	

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	75/76	1976	75/76	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
HONG KONG		1,184	333	303	618	428	164	120	120
JAPAN		2,044	685	800	479	950	175	306	306
OTHER		5,438	1,856	1,853	553	774	189	240	240
PEACHES, CANNED	MLB	57,537	14,073	15,511	9,101	11,617	2,272	2,851	2,851
CANADA		28,138	7,101	6,101	5,404	4,640	1,349	1,123	1,123
SWEDEN		2,119	544	564	206	239	63	68	68
NORWAY		1,088	289	276	152	70	40	21	21
FINLAND		1,358	362	303	181	0	47	0	0
NETHERLANDS		2,260	494	255	22	524	6	121	121
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,780	485	590	359	612	97	148	148
FRANCE		1,335	291	8	122	0	27	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		8,702	1,838	2,257	164	759	42	154	154
JAPAN		3,771	976	3,433	1,247	3,910	318	1,026	1,026
OTHER		6,988	1,693	1,724	1,244	863	283	189	189
PRUNES, DRIED	MLB	76,619	26,033	24,036	10,357	7,554	3,822	2,931	2,931
CANADA		5,227	1,855	1,964	1,178	776	424	322	322
VENEZUELA		1,121	466	665	16	31	8	17	17
SWEDEN		3,026	1,327	1,376	772	570	356	297	297
NORWAY		2,078	791	947	464	231	167	103	103
FINLAND		5,193	2,155	1,398	517	309	231	163	163
DENMARK		3,310	1,153	1,543	367	548	140	217	217
UNITED KINGDOM		4,766	1,562	1,090	831	735	279	277	277
NETHERLANDS		1,956	683	572	430	222	152	104	104
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,981	737	978	353	249	122	117	117
FRANCE		20,030	6,447	2,544	2,099	0	671	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		4,219	1,519	2,150	655	782	258	344	344
POLAND		1,138	384	712	88	0	29	0	0
USSR		0	0	702	0	0	0	0	0
SPAIN		1,739	665	768	61	80	21	40	40
ITALY		11,697	3,150	2,804	1,294	1,862	470	395	395
JAPAN		1,174	412	1,001	398	225	141	94	94
OTHER		7,964	2,727	2,822	834	933	354	441	441
GRAPES, DRIED (RAISINS)	MLB	73,795	28,942	24,765	10,039	6,054	3,755	4,344	4,344
CANADA		9,511	4,638	3,755	1,703	626	866	395	395
VENEZUELA		1,593	949	513	18	50	14	51	51
SWEDEN		4,513	1,905	1,876	951	97	207	84	84
NORWAY		2,121	951	1,000	118	41	47	42	42
FINLAND		3,427	1,486	1,413	599	0	246	0	0
DENMARK		3,424	1,550	1,325	461	142	171	146	146
UNITED KINGDOM		4,964	1,583	821	1,142	156	333	94	94
NETHERLANDS		2,587	1,327	950	205	281	102	206	206
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,652	798	782	370	254	174	227	227
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		2,975	1,050	1,093	613	148	205	127	127
SWITZERLAND		1,073	369	643	112	136	29	115	115

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
JAPAN		27,096	15,864	8,388	8,701	2,948	3,690	893	2,442
NEW ZEALAND		1,230	494	750	522	208	122	115	149
OTHER		7,829	2,102	3,199	1,372	1,000	311	353	266
GRAPEFRUITS, FRESH:	MLB	317,974	383,789	31,383	39,902	102,326	104,495	9,750	10,886
CANADA		80,244	79,963	6,576	7,436	19,865	12,869	1,552	1,220
UNITED KINGDOM:		6,953	4,056	853	527	723	201	92	27
NETHERLANDS		41,731	57,421	4,802	7,542	11,437	13,829	1,531	1,900
FRANCE		45,748	47,888	4,877	5,549	12,467	11,863	1,295	1,350
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		9,137	4,717	835	501	1,973	68	164	20
JAPAN		128,273	182,800	12,785	17,462	54,697	65,099	5,008	6,279
OTHER		5,787	6,942	655	885	1,164	565	108	90
GRAPES, FRESH:	MLB	160,428	95,925	32,165	23,409	2,841	493	806	167
CANADA		116,302	73,307	20,177	16,149	2,208	447	605	150
SWEDEN		4,247	1,818	912	546	0	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM:		4,241	207	1,208	66	26	0	8	0
SINGAPORE		4,136	1,756	950	575	0	0	0	0
INDONESIA		2,791	1,740	751	535	0	0	0	0
HONG KONG		8,165	6,214	2,682	2,265	121	0	43	0
JAPAN		3,874	1,339	1,286	544	205	0	82	0
OTHER		16,672	9,543	4,198	2,729	281	46	68	16
LEMONS AND LIMES, FRESH	MLB	143,778	207,465	31,750	32,906	35,157	43,238	6,578	5,422
CANADA		17,354	19,356	3,334	3,089	2,871	3,154	560	481
NETHERLANDS		8,217	9,875	968	1,203	1,414	996	135	104
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		687	8,496	73	893	383	1,379	39	142
FRANCE		12,926	22,001	1,216	2,279	2,777	3,517	276	365
USSR		5,745	7,661	524	786	5,745	7,661	524	786
HONG KONG		2,953	4,061	740	766	489	824	112	122
JAPAN		88,491	120,177	23,925	22,161	19,767	22,955	4,701	3,133
OTHER		7,403	15,638	969	1,728	1,710	2,752	230	289
ORANGES, TANGERINES, CLEMENTINES, FRESH	MLB	392,012	397,416	47,102	50,885	91,706	82,158	10,895	10,702
CANADA		210,467	236,354	24,929	29,662	48,412	45,812	5,523	5,759
NETHERLANDS		11,670	9,591	1,150	1,449	5,366	5,091	591	815
SINGAPORE		6,529	13,020	783	1,603	1,686	2,076	176	260
HONG KONG		94,974	102,760	12,549	13,274	21,121	21,550	2,527	2,782
JAPAN		20,430	18,504	3,161	2,601	6,138	4,015	922	594
NEW ZEALAND:		14,104	6,048	1,675	613	2,677	0	410	0
OTHER		33,838	11,138	2,855	1,484	6,337	3,615	747	492
GRAPEFRUIT JUICE:	MGAL	3,159	3,615	5,640	6,741	720	894	1,155	1,559
CANADA		1,936	2,216	3,031	3,693	411	620	549	1,006
BAHAMAS		58	196	86	352	13	33	20	60
UNITED KINGDOM		56	177	198	493	31	23	108	81
FRANCE		295	199	409	271	60	14	79	18

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		263	72	398	195	102	5	132	18				
SWITZERLAND		100	93	311	258	14	14	49	50				
JAPAN		103	107	392	429	22	41	43	108				
OTHER		347	554	816	1,050	66	143	175	218				
ORANGE JUICE	MGAL.	12,404	15,192	34,004	43,977	2,579	2,753	7,003	7,074				
CANADA		6,253	8,570	17,967	24,772	1,230	1,440	3,714	4,218				
SWEDEN		1,158	1,214	4,010	4,247	206	165	728	586				
NETHERLANDS		529	804	1,321	2,241	135	113	339	252				
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		1,074	719	2,228	1,970	171	179	219	389				
OTHER		3,390	3,885	8,478	10,747	837	856	2,004	2,429				
ALMONDS, SHELLED BASIS	MLB	60,227	76,743	55,327	68,154	7,937	12,194	7,395	11,293				
CANADA		2,750	3,954	2,456	3,416	466	589	443	547				
SWEDEN		2,826	4,581	2,587	4,059	330	480	311	450				
UNITED KINGDOM		3,255	4,293	2,957	3,938	1,120	405	985	399				
FRANCE		4,405	4,967	3,951	3,964	501	687	470	631				
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		18,266	22,736	16,892	19,970	1,669	3,414	1,518	3,063				
USSR		2,860	8,303	2,567	7,870	0	1,583	0	1,505				
JAPAN		10,817	13,876	9,988	12,595	1,396	3,446	1,340	3,174				
OTHER		15,047	14,034	13,930	12,343	2,456	1,590	2,328	1,524				
WALNUTS, NOT SHELLED BASIS	MLB	86,997	85,715	33,935	37,481	4,692	1,906	1,843	876				
CANADA		4,137	7,961	1,366	3,203	308	403	91	114				
FRANCE		7,302	1,495	2,821	653	295	52	124	26				
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		19,046	19,945	7,947	8,570	1,304	272	550	142				
SPAIN		23,605	24,216	9,468	11,151	1,075	116	434	59				
ITALY		8,599	10,591	3,409	4,073	183	113	75	48				
OTHER		24,308	21,507	8,924	9,831	1,527	950	569	486				
FEED GRAINS	MMT	25,377	27,220	3,052,259	3,017,010	3,847	4,521	461,150	504,377				
MEXICO		821	262	104,107	30,001	103	44	12,780	4,950				
UNITED KINGDOM		572	1,507	66,856	162,493	60	335	6,983	37,159				
NETHERLANDS		2,060	2,729	241,144	298,783	223	419	26,048	47,568				
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		640	1,423	73,745	154,168	36	203	4,167	21,866				
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		2,831	3,834	345,577	440,432	485	277	57,602	33,154				
POLAND		1,222	641	146,073	70,763	135	31	16,617	3,387				
USSR		6,015	1,743	751,761	199,405	986	418	126,714	47,787				
SPAIN		1,413	1,080	166,683	116,107	152	416	18,130	45,647				
PORTUGAL		586	913	69,032	98,287	119	150	14,161	17,347				
ITALY		791	1,349	92,202	150,730	168	425	19,009	46,546				
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		286	636	33,442	70,081	0	125	0	13,776				
JAPAN		3,689	5,891	438,895	653,864	700	956	81,306	105,031				
UNONTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		767	726	82,630	71,346	1	0	35	25				
OTHER		3,684	4,485	440,311	500,549	677	722	77,599	78,134				
BARLEY	MMT	277	858	35,475	106,665	45	21	5,364	2,746				
MEXICO		7	2	1,619	601	0	0	1	0				

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
CORN, EXCEPT SEED	MMT	21,659	22,642	2,625,421	2,515,444	3,272	3,815	395,421	431,823	102	12,642	4,831	4,831
MEXICO		789	258	99,806	29,170	102	43	12,642	4,831	60	6,983	32,537	32,537
UNITED KINGDOM		555	1,344	64,961	143,720	192	293	22,508	47,038	164	4,167	17,878	17,878
NETHERLANDS		1,820	2,512	213,554	275,653	36	143	51,886	33,154	31	16,617	3,387	3,387
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		307	998	36,206	107,079	439	277	126,714	47,787	152	18,130	35,780	35,780
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		2,684	3,649	327,762	418,685	135	86	14,161	14,859	425	16,622	48,538	48,538
POLAND		1,110	608	132,710	67,169	119	126	14,161	14,859	125	13,776	13,776	13,776
USSR		5,969	1,743	746,546	199,405	438	611	51,179	69,767	379	41,975	42,684	42,684
SPAIN		1,368	906	161,996	98,309	528	684	60,253	69,658	33	10,903	3,645	3,645
PORTUGAL		517	707	60,689	79,295	98	33	2,706	3,238	5	3,540	530	530
ITALY		751	1,253	87,179	138,812	149	125	11,839	19,804	0	0	0	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		286	636	33,242	70,081	102	183	11,839	19,804	0	0	0	0
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		387	486	46,721	54,208	438	611	51,179	69,767	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		2,322	3,955	285,398	443,382	361	379	41,975	42,684	684	60,253	69,658	69,658
UNDNTFD CTRY-CAN T/S		730	687	78,676	66,656	528	684	60,253	69,658	33	10,903	3,645	3,645
OTHER		2,063	2,900	249,955	323,859	361	379	41,975	42,684	33	10,903	3,645	3,645
GRAIN SORGHUMS, EXCEPT SEED	MMT	3,323	3,669	377,702	388,658	528	684	60,253	69,658	33	10,903	3,645	3,645
VENEZUELA		181	164	21,018	19,709	98	33	2,706	3,238	5	3,540	530	530
NORWAY		86	127	9,935	14,452	20	33	2,706	3,238	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		234	157	26,894	15,780	32	39	5,716	3,988	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		332	328	37,539	33,296	46	0	5,716	3,988	0	0	0	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		78	0	9,767	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
POLAND		66	33	7,657	3,595	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SPAIN		45	175	4,686	17,797	0	90	0	9,867	0	0	9,867	9,867
PORTUGAL		69	205	8,343	18,992	0	25	0	2,488	0	0	2,488	2,488
ROMANIA		0	135	0	14,477	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ISRAEL		327	291	35,765	30,947	68	31	7,046	3,235	0	0	3,235	3,235
INDIA		498	0	58,348	0	262	344	30,086	35,143	0	0	35,143	35,143
JAPAN		1,362	1,891	152,547	204,244	262	344	30,086	35,143	85	257	7,525	7,525
OTHER		45	163	5,202	15,371	3	85	257	7,525	0	0	0	0

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
OATS	MMT	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1977 1/
MEXICO		119	51	13,661	6,203	1	1	112	150		
JAMAICA		4	0	309	8	0	0	1	0		
ECUADOR		0	1	88	143	0	0	28	18		
PERU		6	0	765	0	0	0	0	0		
NETHERLANDS		3	0	356	0	0	0	0	0		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		23	14	396	1,692	0	0	0	0		
SWITZERLAND		4	18	2,602	2,098	0	0	0	0		
USSR		46	2	390	245	0	0	0	0		
ITALY		21	0	5,216	0	0	0	0	0		
JAPAN		1	14	2,636	0	0	0	0	0		
UNDTFED CTRY-CAN T/S		5	1	200	1,758	0	1	41	120		
OTHER		1	1	497	143	1	0	33	3		
				207	116	0	0	9	10		
RICE	MLB	1,865,613	2,296,329	283,775	312,057	298,654	471,611	40,161	61,717		
CANADA		84,229	92,936	13,570	12,041	14,149	20,171	2,196	2,555		
UNITED KINGDOM		45,513	36,295	5,943	4,520	5,921	7,380	939	818		
NETHERLANDS		106,971	78,290	14,185	9,616	23,979	12,219	2,917	1,393		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		99,388	80,265	15,582	11,623	18,777	24,113	2,724	3,840		
USSR		108,713	94,532	15,478	11,163	26,067	67,965	3,595	8,041		
ITALY		112,548	12,166	11,016	1,107	74,508	12,111	6,832	1,095		
IRAQ		116,899	41,796	20,745	5,752	0	41,796	0	5,752		
IRAN		219,270	637,148	36,224	86,285	0	105,296	0	13,921		
SAUDI ARABIA		154,606	79,459	30,971	14,400	12,337	5,080	2,425	930		
BANGLADESH		259,997	0	33,492	0	48	0	9	0		
INDONESIA		0	519,864	0	55,815	0	10	0	3		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		161,217	50,488	19,042	4,328	0	50,488	0	4,328		
NIGERIA		12,413	131,224	3,439	31,360	4,579	13,804	1,177	3,319		
REP SOUTH AFRICA		110,954	108,044	21,004	17,030	28,177	33,294	5,229	5,406		
OTHER		272,895	333,822	43,083	47,017	90,114	77,884	12,118	10,315		
WHEAT AND PRODUCTS	MBU	590,958	399,555	2,557,914	1,434,112	79,078	59,762	335,384	206,890		
VENEZUELA		14,748	9,313	71,831	36,244	1,970	617	9,878	2,131		
PERU		13,225	4,310	52,748	14,173	2,812	980	11,268	3,240		
CHILE		10,500	9,088	46,190	30,581	965	44	4,302	193		
BRAZIL		47,846	3,999	205,177	14,412	4,109	0	15,876	0		
NETHERLANDS		10,774	6,174	51,630	23,806	1,306	328	5,851	1,035		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		21,258	5,791	95,111	18,326	1,739	0	6,939	0		
POLAND		13,775	6,342	60,987	20,086	1,108	0	4,954	0		
USSR		92,925	64,854	369,873	261,129	1,727	13,760	6,744	55,555		
IRAN		1,874	21,155	7,310	62,765	0	5,097	0	14,973		
ISRAEL		10,774	12,418	46,385	43,331	1,395	2,461	6,551	8,007		
INDIA		86,611	20,382	351,370	76,968	2,409	589	90,570	1,991		
PAKISTAN		13,333	6,319	52,722	20,700	3,366	0	8,810	0		
INDONESIA		8,878	9,803	39,193	30,918	3,138	906	13,801	3,253		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		32,299	32,018	129,370	113,320	4,010	4,907	15,047	15,940		

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
JAPAN		57,566	55,708	274,983	193,791	7,698	7,973	36,573	24,526		
ALGERIA		12,074	1,531	63,674	4,538	0	0	0	0		
EGYPT		16,815	26,989	63,131	83,286	1,997	5,894	7,240	17,573		
NIGERIA		8,367	12,366	35,209	49,821	1,420	1,548	5,916	6,280		
UNDTFO CTRY-CAN T/S		18,223	1,814	90,967	5,710	21	15	117	59		
OTHER		99,092	89,181	450,056	330,206	18,888	14,644	84,945	52,134		
WHEAT	MBU	576,777	372,060	2,491,219	1,324,645	77,353	52,650	328,313	180,730		
VENEZUELA		14,732	9,298	71,597	36,034	1,959	615	9,788	2,099		
PERU		12,959	4,167	51,512	13,613	2,778	965	11,130	3,192		
CHILE		10,337	8,765	45,352	28,966	965	0	4,302	0		
BRAZIL		47,812	3,952	204,992	14,124	4,109	0	15,876	0		
NETHERLANDS		10,720	6,129	51,366	23,593	1,298	318	5,812	984		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		21,287	5,790	95,103	18,319	1,739	0	6,939	0		
POLAND		13,775	6,342	60,987	20,086	1,108	0	4,954	0		
USSR		92,925	64,854	369,873	261,129	1,727	13,760	6,744	55,555		
IRAN		1,874	21,154	7,306	62,733	0	5,097	0	14,962		
ISRAEL		10,612	12,215	45,721	42,836	1,395	2,461	6,543	8,007		
INDIA		82,953	17,040	332,800	60,984	22,375	395	90,391	1,167		
PAKISTAN		13,332	6,319	52,715	20,698	2,365	0	8,807	0		
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		32,255	32,017	129,123	113,308	4,010	4,906	15,047	15,928		
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		8,271	8,047	39,619	27,640	2,015	992	9,309	3,450		
JAPAN		57,562	55,699	274,905	193,695	7,696	7,972	36,551	24,523		
ALGERIA		12,074	1,508	63,674	4,440	0	0	0	0		
EGYPT		16,790	20,282	63,037	61,932	1,997	3,744	7,240	10,873		
NIGERIA		8,355	12,364	35,142	49,811	1,420	1,548	5,909	6,280		
UNDTFO CTRY-CAN T/S		18,223	1,814	90,967	5,710	21	15	117	59		
OTHER		89,960	74,305	405,427	265,213	18,374	9,862	82,853	33,650		
WHEAT FLOUR	MBU	9,469	20,870	42,037	78,909	1,577	6,564	6,240	22,803		
CANADA		149	766	571	2,666	22	563	97	1,980		
JAMAICA		124	476	671	2,376	17	165	74	710		
JAMAICA		363	0	1,790	0	0	0	0	0		
PERU		183	90	850	353	10	16	40	49		
SAUDI ARABIA		5,058	4,218	22,040	20,164	876	602	3,757	2,730		
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		91	4,737	481	15,472	0	2,421	0	7,714		
PHILIPPINES		210	223	1,128	1,058	39	1	212	10		
MOROCCO		490	536	2,226	2,458	48	200	229	912		
TUNISIA		288	127	1,205	439	17	0	67	0		
EGYPT		24	6,628	94	21,056	0	2,130	0	6,633		
OTHER		2,488	3,070	10,980	12,867	548	466	1,764	2,065		
ALFALFA MEAL, DEHYDRATED	WSTN	35	445	3,521	15,416	3	19	312	2,230		
MEXICO		1	0	72	4	0	0	2	1		
COSTA RICA		1	0	97	0	0	0	0	0		
NETHERLANDS		5	44	466	5,362	0	6	0	771		
FRANCE		0	4	0	422	0	0	0	0		

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		75/76	76/77	75/76	76/77	1976	1977	1977	1976	1977	1977
			1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1976	1/	1/	1,000 DOL.	1/	1,000 DOL.
FLAXSEED	MBU	675	0	4,562	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		281	0	1,956	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		207	0	1,376	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		135	0	883	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNDINTD CTRY-CAN T/S		53	0	347	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SOYBEANS	MBU	330,090	353,379	1,770,520	2,495,066	52,297	58,365	267,772	455,135		
MEXICO		0	9,410	2	65,286	0	1,219	0	10,122		
DENMARK		9,383	5,694	49,307	40,410	1,598	1,023	8,377	7,336		
UNITED KINGDOM		8,578	10,146	43,631	73,622	1,928	3,659	1,043	27,218		
NETHERLANDS		82,510	69,661	442,992	492,189	12,867	9,145	65,566	73,490		
RELIGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		11,788	9,981	57,550	68,457	2,330	1,212	11,645	9,688		
FRANCE		5,902	13,617	30,320	98,420	1,544	2,406	7,828	19,181		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		32,867	39,916	180,640	277,003	5,301	5,433	26,598	39,512		
USSR		5,696	23,672	28,784	163,900	2,366	5,007	11,983	33,642		
SPAIN		31,388	30,285	162,189	220,596	4,880	7,610	25,139	61,094		
ITALY		21,512	18,727	113,788	134,626	5,014	1,559	25,388	13,288		
ISRAEL		6,419	36,792	36,398	48,352	917	1,102	4,641	7,796		
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		20,573	14,946	119,497	104,223	2,272	1,630	11,370	13,000		
JAPAN		59,132	64,467	326,206	455,218	8,258	11,816	4,847	93,915		
UNDINTD CTRY-CAN T/S		7,363	37,197	37,870	47,187	0	0	0	0		
OTHER		26,977	28,867	141,345	205,577	3,022	5,545	15,345	45,052		
COTTONSEED OIL	MLB	282,034	360,993	74,116	88,371	51,839	104,227	12,271	28,178		
CANADA		6,598	4,962	2,076	1,076	654	373	198	87		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		5,622	1	1,663	1	0	0	0	0		
VENEZUELA		29,998	65,877	7,256	15,904	10,529	1,204	2,145	307		
UNITED KINGDOM		7,076	8,384	1,775	2,049	1,131	3,277	300	871		
RELIGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		8,203	6,541	1,970	1,621	56	3,061	11	727		
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		6,348	1,651	1,698	419	881	1,100	226	272		
SWITZERLAND		7,699	4,410	1,958	999	1,099	0	284	0		
IRAN		0	21,167	0	6,469	0	21,162	0	6,466		
JAPAN		10,799	22,360	3,116	5,594	1,984	3,996	511	1,144		
EGYPT		191,409	206,441	50,222	49,098	30,535	62,327	7,260	16,327		
OTHER		8,281	19,198	2,383	5,140	4,969	7,727	1,345	1,977		
SOYBEAN OIL	MLB	405,850	756,201	90,705	182,665	89,836	240,676	16,240	58,055		
CANADA		37,375	25,459	8,018	6,026	8,012	6,207	1,555	1,615		
MEXICO		5,922	10,002	2,645	3,506	17	9,922	5	3,481		
PANAMA		22,364	13,819	6,708	3,014	7,755	7,095	1,538	1,558		
HAITI		15,760	17,449	3,769	4,267	4,256	5,629	891	1,375		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		22,428	9,422	4,783	2,203	8,816	0	1,441	0		
COLOMBIA		6,757	34,150	1,326	7,793	6,787	8,609	1,326	2,050		
ECUADOR		19,472	12,797	4,469	2,915	3,409	4,202	723	886		
PERU		880	67,617	241	16,090	0	378	0	107		

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
YUGOSLAVIA		21,750	0	4,686	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
IRAN		24,257	71,721	5,890	17,991	0	0	0	0	0	0
INDIA		1	316,582	1	74,279	0	136,881	0	0	31,450	0
PAKISTAN		141,069	95,883	25,656	22,654	37,791	48,974	6,198	6,198	12,075	0
BANGLADESH		35,949	0	10,011	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		19,498	27,798	4,467	6,850	4,314	6,463	878	878	1,548	0
OTHER		32,338	53,503	8,035	15,077	8,679	6,317	1,687	1,687	1,910	0
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MLB	387,943	369,796	599,716	613,531	47,462	56,161	72,747	72,747	93,121	0
DENMARK		9,471	12,098	13,960	16,348	151	149	183	183	129	0
UNITED KINGDOM		63,226	44,068	94,738	69,679	2,988	1,456	3,325	3,325	1,519	0
NETHERLANDS		15,413	11,369	23,324	16,995	1,442	2,424	2,465	2,465	3,338	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		27,986	27,377	36,716	38,551	2,967	2,880	4,369	4,369	4,361	0
SWITZERLAND		10,703	13,454	12,738	18,741	869	983	504	504	777	0
ITALY		17,539	22,620	27,338	37,692	3,550	10,284	5,467	5,467	17,138	0
THAILAND		10,189	22,465	16,772	39,921	5,099	7,479	8,641	8,641	13,579	0
PHILIPPINES		6,558	8,425	11,948	13,234	670	1,666	1,316	1,316	3,011	0
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		11,234	13,592	17,053	22,790	441	0	662	662	0	0
JAPAN		119,798	102,309	190,656	180,080	10,591	12,912	15,755	15,755	22,190	0
AUSTRALIA		9,723	8,343	14,768	13,972	708	1,736	892	892	2,738	0
EGYPT		9,764	9,856	15,068	16,507	7,302	1,389	11,281	11,281	2,322	0
OTHER		76,240	75,821	124,636	129,021	10,684	12,802	17,887	17,887	22,021	0
BURLEY TOBACCO	MLB	31,526	39,250	58,927	77,110	11,967	17,921	24,423	24,423	35,977	0
SWEDEN		1,557	1,070	3,234	2,175	39	0	74	74	0	0
DENMARK		1,875	1,329	2,897	2,517	32	2	54	54	1	0
NETHERLANDS		1,571	299	2,561	453	0	168	0	0	249	0
FRANCE		805	367	1,536	655	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		4,133	6,115	7,262	9,839	36	187	57	57	399	0
SWITZERLAND		1,856	3,291	2,939	7,050	0	0	0	0	0	0
ITALY		1,019	5,122	1,597	8,581	1,019	4,259	1,597	1,597	7,021	0
ISRAEL		288	822	415	1,705	0	0	0	0	0	0
THAILAND		1,377	4,368	2,748	8,770	1,377	2,303	2,748	2,748	1,446	0
PHILIPPINES		3,585	2,246	6,949	4,440	441	1,036	1,051	1,051	4,616	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		1,315	0	2,187	0	0	0	0	0	1,883	0
JAPAN		7,016	10,195	15,437	23,240	7,016	8,243	15,437	15,437	18,642	0
EGYPT		2,017	1,447	3,185	2,640	1,564	376	2,554	2,554	585	0
CANARY ISLANDS		771	0	1,190	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		2,541	2,579	4,787	5,046	444	647	851	851	1,135	0
FLUE-CURED TOBACCO	MLB	266,172	245,445	481,855	475,537	23,485	24,747	38,854	38,854	45,051	0
DENMARK		6,651	6,805	10,743	13,168	67	67	117	117	116	0
UNITED KINGDOM		46,184	32,001	85,418	63,091	1,260	520	2,315	2,315	1,124	0
NETHERLANDS		7,574	4,903	11,299	7,250	713	1,202	1,064	1,064	1,678	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		20,205	17,352	27,424	25,880	2,803	2,385	4,172	4,172	3,708	0
ITALY		14,635	16,017	22,496	26,744	2,531	4,842	3,870	3,870	8,223	0
THAILAND		8,812	18,087	14,023	31,120	3,722	5,176	5,893	5,893	8,963	0

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TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	75/76	76/77 1/	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
MEXICO		9,197	1,396	7,824	1,396	2,408	1,094	2,408	366	1,094	150
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		16,251	3,534	6,053	1,014	0	0	0	0	0	0
COLOMBIA		3,264	624	11,123	1,732	3,197	3,070	3,197	607	3,070	472
VENEZUELA		34,012	4,726	34,283	5,653	6,566	5,133	6,566	875	5,133	812
UNITED KINGDOM		49,359	10,602	44,442	8,483	4,975	7,568	4,975	1,192	7,568	1,273
NETHERLANDS		9,718	1,371	25,628	3,651	390	2,613	390	77	2,613	315
FRANCE		7,673	1,805	16,771	3,261	770	1,695	770	205	1,695	314
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		7,409	1,458	16,570	3,577	1,734	622	1,734	332	622	174
SPAIN		6,980	1,228	10,779	2,035	467	1,130	467	89	1,130	186
ITALY		16,531	3,643	12,809	2,668	719	121	719	83	121	16
GREECE		7,919	1,465	12,218	2,417	1,615	110	1,615	356	110	35
INDIA		995	95	8,797	1,303	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		19,061	2,036	41,611	5,381	2,950	1,770	2,950	258	1,770	243
ALGERIA		29,649	4,690	16,740	3,521	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		58,519	11,336	73,194	13,622	10,879	11,809	10,879	1,618	11,809	2,233
BEANS, DRIED	MLB										
CANADA		144,136	30,972	195,987	33,206	13,879	23,041	13,879	2,854	23,041	3,852
MEXICO		10,554	2,561	13,708	2,849	1,285	1,903	1,285	301	1,903	377
EL SALVADOR		8,836	1,335	7,185	794	2,326	1,019	2,326	354	1,019	133
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		3,068	706	6	2	1	0	1	1	0	0
VENEZUELA		15,208	3,412	5,651	951	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM		5,234	1,139	12,009	1,989	333	1,190	333	60	1,190	200
NETHERLANDS		33,526	8,296	22,404	4,411	3,783	4,397	3,783	1,044	4,397	779
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		7,776	1,005	19,171	2,137	79	2,211	79	23	2,211	213
FRANCE		1,634	484	4,578	897	160	480	160	53	480	87
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		5,716	1,417	16,176	3,137	733	1,579	733	196	1,579	281
SWITZERLAND		1,482	375	8,945	1,805	85	234	85	27	234	65
ITALY		3,197	761	644	122	0	0	0	0	0	0
GREECE		8,956	2,383	9,931	2,104	104	41	104	17	41	7
IRAN		38	2	7,120	1,267	0	0	0	0	0	0
JAPAN		0	0	4,230	696	0	4,230	0	0	4,230	696
ALGERIA		10,180	1,106	29,656	3,699	2,524	1,581	2,524	200	1,581	231
OTHER		10,684	1,898	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		18,084	4,091	34,576	6,346	2,466	4,176	2,466	578	4,176	784
PEAS, INCLUDING COW AND CHICK, DRIED	MLB										
CANADA		78,418	10,402	109,047	18,004	13,724	14,282	13,724	1,728	14,282	2,306
COSTA RICA		1,667	306	1,793	259	324	558	324	81	558	81
COLOMBIA		84	16	3,030	484	10	22	10	2	22	4
VENEZUELA		350	50	8,159	1,189	350	2,960	350	50	2,960	448
BRAZIL		21,390	2,322	17,590	2,607	4,189	3,655	4,189	435	3,655	540
UNITED KINGDOM		6,616	794	1,483	187	2,048	0	2,048	262	0	0
SPAIN		15,755	2,292	21,954	4,054	1,192	3,170	1,192	148	3,170	495
ITALY		2,018	320	5,228	858	614	863	614	65	863	133
IRAN		1,770	228	1,322	246	0	80	0	9	80	9
INDIA		11	3	2,183	458	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES		0	0	6,909	1,009	0	0	0	0	0	0
		527	60	2,614	408	150	50	150	15	50	9

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TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE 75/76 76/77 1/ 1,000 DOL. 1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	VALUE 75/76 76/77 1/ 1,000 DOL. 1,000 DOL.	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/ 1,000 DOL. 1,000 DOL.
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		4	71		8,272	0	10		0
JAPAN		23	325		2,403	3	1		276
OTHER		1	3		123	0	2		81 98
ALFALFA MEAL, SUN-CURED									
FED.REP.OF GERMANY	MSTN	52	102		4,505	13	25		3,092
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		3	33		206	0	9		1,004
JAPAN		0	2		41	0	0		0
OTHER		48	63		4,153	13	13		1,830
		1	4		106	0	3		1,164
									258
ALFALFA HAY CUBES									
CANADA	MSTN	41	89		3,237	7	18		1,918
MEXICO		6	6		380	3	2		470
JAPAN		1	1		76	0	1		141
OTHER		33	82		2,776	4	15		38
		0	1		5	0	0		5
									324
									1,750
									23
OIL CAKE AND MEAL									
CANADA	MSTN	2,597	2,756		390,802	512	652		136,387
MEXICO		153	155		25,879	24	27		4,098
NETHERLANDS		9	61		1,096	2	58		5,941
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		59	376		8,003	13	37		248
FRANCE		143	76		23,503	14	10		1,808
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		523	137		77,376	131	32		1,914
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		673	695		102,894	91	185		1,470
HUNGARY		76	73		9,475	11	0		4,982
POLAND		46	31		7,840	30	17		4,131
SPAIN		152	264		22,651	41	86		1,326
ITALY		140	79		19,389	41	23		5,166
YUGOSLAVIA		257	292		37,691	35	77		6,563
JAPAN		65	22		9,231	4	0		5,713
OTHER		10	133		1,790	0	33		5,230
		293	363		43,983	75	68		14,582
									0
									4,726
									16,106
SOYBEAN OILCAKE AND MEAL									
CANADA	MSTN	2,484	2,665		372,362	498	637		133,415
MEXICO		149	152		25,013	24	27		4,024
NETHERLANDS		6	58		766	1	58		5,807
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		42	364		5,675	11	37		13,441
FRANCE		141	75		22,827	14	10		8,499
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		522	136		77,099	131	32		1,467
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		622	659		96,465	89	183		4,982
HUNGARY		76	73		9,475	11	0		40,753
POLAND		46	31		7,840	30	17		1,326
SPAIN		138	255		20,353	41	82		5,166
ITALY		139	79		18,738	41	23		6,354
YUGOSLAVIA		256	292		37,575	35	77		5,533
JAPAN		65	22		9,107	4	0		5,187
OTHER		9	132		1,429	0	32		1,582
		274	336		39,998	69	60		0
									4,666
									1,448

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TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	75/76	1977 1/	1977 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		11,234	17,053	22,790	0	441	0	662	0
JAPAN		83,166	172,960	155,084	1,414	598	1,414	85	3,304
AUSTRALIA		7,091	13,509	12,465	1,124	248	1,124	453	2,329
EGYPT		6,197	11,397	12,729	692	4,629	692	8,278	1,225
OTHER		54,422	95,533	105,217	7,325	6,473	7,325	11,944	14,382
MARYLAND TOBACCO	MLB	1,796	2,422	3,849	232	347	232	458	335
NORWAY		46	105	64	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		47	39	54	0	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		508	148	851	98	0	98	0	134
FRANCE		0	239	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		381	830	1,166	75	0	68	89	96
AUSTRIA		63	104	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWITZERLAND		441	700	1,676	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		36	78	0	0	0	0	0	0
EGYPT		272	369	105	66	272	66	369	105
OTHER		3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
BULK SMOKING TOBACCO	MLB	6,210	8,574	8,218	1,466	385	1,466	698	2,279
CANADA		123	341	340	36	23	36	72	77
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		850	1,386	428	0	0	0	0	0
ECUADOR		462	688	479	20	175	20	273	22
PERU		121	219	75	0	72	0	134	0
UNITED KINGDOM		200	540	432	20	52	20	139	57
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		458	446	36	45	0	45	0	27
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		220	283	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWITZERLAND		937	278	370	168	0	168	0	99
POLAND		0	276	568	276	0	276	0	568
SPAIN		639	912	301	176	0	176	0	301
IRAN		1,931	3,058	4,906	680	32	680	49	1,068
OTHER		270	425	284	44	33	44	31	61
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS, CANNED	MLB	119,779	155,254	40,341	17,836	19,216	17,836	5,201	5,345
CANADA		48,604	40,406	11,728	8,304	8,304	8,304	2,008	1,688
MEXICO		7,529	4,679	1,030	1,350	1,350	1,350	296	149
PANAMA		2,650	2,649	835	907	209	409	70	141
NETHERLANDS ANTILLES		2,656	2,737	812	896	624	423	182	144
VENEZUELA		3,208	823	679	188	188	423	63	136
UNITED KINGDOM		6,880	3,128	1,204	884	884	277	297	80
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		507	6,803	1,060	70	70	136	27	27
FRANCE		3,697	4,530	202	566	566	413	142	102
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		3,494	36,536	955	6,407	471	667	117	151
SAUDI ARABIA		1,541	2,465	513	938	422	564	125	200
HONG KONG		4,853	7,792	2,137	719	719	1,027	220	267
JAPAN		9,044	11,777	3,386	599	599	1,746	209	500
OTHER		25,117	29,739	8,923	4,812	4,812	5,212	1,445	1,760
PULSES	MLB	289,257	355,176	62,682	39,398	38,398	39,253	6,631	6,699
CANADA		12,721	16,133	3,246	1,729	1,729	2,518	374	475

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TABLE 24 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL EXPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		6,115	597	530	187	1,929	3,185	1,296	2,758	187	237
JAPAN		8,870	928	1,677	58	426	2,616	189	453	12	12
OTHER		13,245	2,484	4,039		2,492		1,439		338	338
LETTUCE, FRESH	MLB	204,758	17,108	19,339	35,995	32,491	3,516	33,589	2,758	3,185	3,185
CANADA		186,134	14,233	16,640	32,491	1,550	2,616	30,808	2,758	2,616	2,616
SWEDEN		3,934	865	893	1,550	1,254	252	1,254	161	91	91
NETHERLANDS		2,409	561	549	666	453	161	453	80	78	78
HONG KONG		3,767	581	486	503	311	80	311	156	147	147
OTHER		4,515	868	772		786		764			
POTATOES, FRESH, EXCEPT SWEET POTATOES	MLB	340,973	21,339	42,992	150,069	35,075	9,032	42,462	1,399	2,835	2,835
CANADA		140,370	5,761	3,623	35,075	886	1,477	24,205	1,399	1,477	1,477
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		2,854	610	615	886	0	54	651	37	54	54
CHILE		24,251	2,486	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWEDEN		43,346	3,206	340	38,685	12,365	163	1,268	2,875	163	163
NETHERLANDS		17,265	757	4,155	12,365	0	365	0	365	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		12,595	1,119	3,620	2,967	10,335	80	10,335	80	686	686
FRANCE		0	0	19,535	0	2,009	130	2,009	0	130	130
PORTUGAL		69,494	4,929	725	47,174	8,979	3,259	0	3,259	0	0
ITALY		9,111	763	2,162	8,979	0	753	0	753	0	0
ALGERIA		0	0	3,635	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		21,687	1,708	4,582	3,938	3,938	263	3,994	263	325	325
TOMATOES, FRESH	MLB	90,311	14,166	13,182	13,240	13,014	478	1,289	2,227	478	478
CANADA		87,375	13,555	12,353	13,014	0	436	1,165	2,151	436	436
VENEZUELA		107	20	434	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		2,829	591	395	227	227	42	125	76	42	42
HOPS, INC EXTRACTS	MKG	4,429	19,211	18,550	664	664	2,676	548	2,069	2,676	2,676
CANADA		1,447	3,336	2,952	35	35	838	331	143	838	838
MEXICO		399	2,792	2,195	205	205	536	23	503	536	536
COLOMBIA		30	1,398	1,454	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
VENEZUELA		42	1,217	928	0	0	343	27	249	343	343
PERU		95	270	676	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRAZIL		464	1,327	1,643	256	256	104	41	653	104	104
UNITED KINGDOM		47	160	532	0	0	0	0	8	0	0
IRELAND		575	1,063	1,050	8	8	10	4	17	10	10
NETHERLANDS		0	570	287	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		371	214	1,028	0	0	1	1	1	1	1
CZECHOSLOVAKIA		547	831	431	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
USSR		68	1,761	1,079	35	35	73	44	622	73	73
PHILIPPINES		0	568	791	0	0	165	24	165	359	359
JAPAN		266	604	907	0	0	51	0	0	51	51
REP SOUTH AFRICA		81	440	40	14	14	29	0	29	0	0
OTHER		362	2,659	2,555	111	111	360	53	479	360	360

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NOTE: MNO = 1,000 HEAD OR PIECES

MLB = 1,000 POUNDS

MRBA = 1,000 RUNNING BALES

MGAL = 1,000 GALLONS

MMT = 1,000 METRIC TONS

MBU = 1,000 BUSHELS

MSTN = 1,000 SHORT TONS

ZERO Quantities indicate none or less than 500 units.



# RECORD U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS IN MARCH 1977

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U.S. agricultural imports totaled a record \$1.3 billion in March 1977, about one-third higher than a year earlier. Most of the increase was in noncompetitive items, chiefly green coffee. U.S. agricultural imports totaled almost \$6.4 billion for the first half of fiscal 1977 (October-March), compared with \$4.9 billion a year earlier. A more than doubling in coffee prices caused much of the increase.

Green coffee imports reached a record \$478 million in March after declining in February, more than double the year-earlier period. Sharply rising prices caused the increase as the quantity of green coffee imported in March 1977 declined by 26 percent from the year-earlier period. Green coffee import prices hit a high of \$1.97 per pound in March, compared with 77 cents per pound last March.

The quantity of imported green coffee declined slightly during October-March 1976/77 from a year earlier, while the value rose substantially and accounted for about three-fourths of the total increase in agricultural imports. Green coffee accounted for 32 percent of all agricultural imports during October-March 1976/77, compared with 19 percent of the total during the year-earlier period.

Other main noncompetitive products increasing during the last 6 months were crude rubber, bananas, cocoa beans, soluble and roasted coffee, and tea.

Competitive agricultural imports during October-March increased slightly from a year earlier, but their share in total agricultural imports fell from 62 percent to 48 percent. Of the main products, there were value increases in imports of live animals, dairy and poultry products, fruits and vegetables, nuts, tobacco, and beer and wine. Declines occurred in value imports of cane sugar and meat and meat products.

Falling prices caused the value decline in sugar imports as the quantity imported increased by one-fourth from October-March 1975/76 to the same period for 1976/77. Import prices of sugar in October-March 1976/77 were \$184.40 per short ton, compared with \$316.80 per ton during the year-earlier period.

Volume imports of fresh and frozen beef and veal during October-March 1976/77 (68 percent of the total quantity of meat and product imports) declined from a year earlier, while the import value remained about the same as prices rose slightly. Tobacco and vegetable oils were other product imports that declined in volume but increased in value because of price increases.

It is estimated that U.S. imports of fresh or frozen beef and veal in 1977 will be slightly less than the 589,000 tons (product weight) imported in 1976, despite the greater quantities permitted under this year's voluntary import restraint program. <sup>1/</sup> The lower estimated value is mainly a result of a U.S. requirement that meat subject to the Meat Import Law that passes through U.S. Foreign Trade Zones, trust territories, and possessions will be counted against the quota for the supplying country. Last year suppliers, such as Australia, circumvented their quota by shipping to the United States through U.S. Foreign Trade Zones.

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<sup>1/</sup> Foreign Agricultural Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Foreign Agriculture Circular, Livestock and Meat, Apr. 1977.

Table 25 --U.S. agricultural imports: Value by commodity,  
October-March 1975/76 and 1976/77 and March 1976 and 1977

Commodity	Oct.-Mar.		Change	March		Change
	1975/76	1976/77		1976	1977	
	Million dollars	Percent		Million dollars	Percent	
<b>Complementary</b>						
Bananas, fresh .....	122	153	+25	26	29	+12
Cocoa and chocolate:						
Cocoa beans .....	199	218	+10	39	44	+13
Cocoa butter .....	34	50	+47	8	10	+25
Cocoa cake, powder, and chocolate .....	68	116	+71	13	26	+100
Coffee:						
Coffee, green or crude .....	957	2,069	+116	234	479	+105
Coffee, soluble .....	69	132	+91	14	38	+171
Drugs, crude .....	49	65	+33	10	16	+60
Essential oils .....	25	37	+48	5	6	+20
Fibers, unmanufactured .....	11	15	+36	2	3	+50
Rubber, crude:						
Rubber, crude, dry form .....	202	275	+36	43	60	+40
Rubber, latex .....	19	28	+47	2	7	+250
Silk, raw .....	3	2	-33	1/	1/	---
Spices .....	51	60	+18	9	10	+11
Tea, crude .....	43	61	+42	8	14	+75
Wool, carpet .....	10	12	+10	2	2	---
Other complementary products .....	34	51	+50	5	13	+160
Total complementary products .....	1,896	3,344	+76	420	757	+80
<b>Supplementary</b>						
Animals and animal products:						
Cattle and calves .....	85	109	+28	10	11	+10
Dairy products and eggs .....	142	163	+15	21	22	+5
Hides and skins, including furskins .....	102	98	-4	24	27	+13
Meats and meat products, excluding poultry:						
Beef and veal .....	388	394	+2	82	69	-16
Pork .....	264	218	-17	42	41	-2
Other meats and meat products .....	22	20	-9	3	4	+33
Sausage casings .....	15	18	+20	4	4	---
Wool, apparel .....	31	30	-3	5	6	+20
Other animals and animal products .....	81	96	+19	14	18	+29
Total animals and animal products .....	1,130	1,146	+1	205	202	-1
Cotton, raw, excluding linters .....	14	10	-29	11	1/	---
Feeds and fodders .....	25	36	+44	4	6	+50
Fruits and preparations .....	118	152	+29	29	33	+14
Grains and preparations .....	87	77	-11	13	13	---
Nuts and preparations .....	75	94	+25	10	16	+60
Oilseeds, oilnuts, and products:						
Coconut oil .....	103	121	+17	9	22	+144
Palm and palm kernel oil .....	117	91	-22	13	11	-15
Olive oil, edible .....	23	18	-22	5	3	-40
Other oilseeds and products .....	57	90	+58	13	16	+23
Seeds, cut flowers, & nursery stk., excl. oilseeds .....	56	63	+13	10	12	+20
Sugar and molasses:						
Sugar, cane or beet .....	563	408	-28	76	55	-28
Molasses, inedible .....	44	45	+2	13	11	-15
Tobacco, unmanufactured, incl. bulk smoking ..	130	153	+18	24	24	---
Vegetables and preparations .....	227	275	+21	53	65	+23
Wines and malt beverages:						
Wines .....	153	174	+14	27	27	---
Malt beverages .....	48	69	+44	10	11	+10
Other supplementary vegetable products .....	83	79	-5	15	16	+7
Total supplementary products .....	3,053	3,101	+2	540	543	+1
Total agricultural imports .....	4,948	6,446	+30	960	1,300	+35

1/ Less than \$500,000.

Table 26 --U.S. agricultural imports: Value by months, October 1967 to September 1977

Months	1967/68	1968/69	1969/70	1970/71	1971/72	1972/73	1973/74	1974/75	1975/76	1976/77
		1/	1/						2/	2/
October	376.3	396.0	469.1	480.3	302.5	573.6	712.2	740.9	828.6	811.4
November	379.7	419.4	411.2	442.9	298.2	547.7	862.5	837.3	804.9	971.7
December	388.3	419.8	481.8	522.3	540.2	550.2	778.6	965.6	768.3	1,095.6
October-December	1,144.3	1,235.2	1,362.1	1,445.5	1,140.9	1,671.5	2,353.3	2,543.8	2,401.8	2,878.7
January	414.7	208.6	491.0	506.6	575.6	648.9	786.9	810.9	817.5	1,139.3
February	402.4	315.6	457.5	419.7	591.6	615.3	819.4	693.9	768.6	1,127.2
March	369.7	474.8	523.9	499.6	506.6	658.9	984.2	749.0	960.3	1,300.4
January-March	1,186.8	999.0	1,472.4	1,425.9	1,673.8	1,923.1	2,590.5	2,253.8	2,546.4	3,566.9
October-March	2,331.1	2,234.2	2,834.5	2,871.4	2,814.7	3,594.6	4,943.8	4,797.6	4,948.2	6,445.6
April	439.5	487.9	514.5	554.4	489.5	696.5	877.8	761.9	895.7	
May	434.3	438.1	443.5	477.9	529.0	786.5	890.1	688.4	847.6	
June	386.7	430.0	499.4	529.8	520.6	664.4	841.7	827.3	1,020.1	
April-June	1,260.5	1,356.0	1,457.4	1,562.1	1,539.1	2,147.4	2,609.6	2,277.6	2,763.4	
July	438.6	434.0	461.7	489.0	471.6	635.0	897.9	762.1	957.9	
August	442.1	407.7	463.8	555.1	563.7	720.4	854.1	687.7	931.6	
September	460.3	398.6	469.0	650.5	547.1	639.8	751.1	945.3	913.7	
July-September	1,341.0	1,240.3	1,394.5	1,694.6	1,582.4	1,995.2	2,503.1	2,395.1	2,803.2	
April-September	2,601.5	2,596.3	2,851.9	3,256.7	3,121.5	4,142.6	5,112.7	4,672.7	5,566.6	
October-September	4,932.6	4,830.5	5,686.4	6,128.1	5,936.2	7,737.2	10,056.5	9,470.3	10,514.8	
Monthly average	411.1	402.5	473.9	510.7	494.7	644.8	838.0	789.2	876.2	

1/ Monthly totals for July-Dec. 1969 do not include furskins.

2/ Preliminary. Oct. 1976 data excludes coconut oil imports.

3/ Totals may not add due to rounding.

Table 27--U.S. cane or beet sugar imports: Quantity and value by country of origin,  
October-March 1975/76 and 1976/77 and March 1976 and 1977

SUGAR,CANE OR BEET	UNITS	October-March				March			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977	1976	1977
	SHORT TONS $\frac{1}{2}$								
CANADA	122	24,210	17,716	9,425,277	4,956,164	3,058	4,865	1,139,309	1,354,115
MEXICO	201	116	116	39,251	73,448	23	33	7,534	14,405
GUATEMALA	205	48,687	219,572	14,547,579	39,936,708	19,026	2,643	5,700,837	462,501
BELIZE	208	0	5,756	0	989,975	0	5,756	0	989,975
EL SALVADOR	211	42,804	21,797	11,956,079	3,504,759	18,191	2,049	5,162,136	352,356
HONDURAS	215	0	24,122	0	4,122,758	0	0	0	0
NICARAGUA	219	40,701	32,196	12,426,794	5,142,155	8,400	0	2,353,886	0
COSTA RICA	223	12,994	43,242	4,135,838	6,828,939	7,780	0	2,345,042	0
PANAMA	225	35,866	23,091	10,956,709	3,968,149	15,975	13,154	4,861,559	2,257,491
JAMAICA	241	20,769	29,603	5,928,504	5,667,817	6,035	0	1,703,795	0
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	247	88,107	475,643	30,363,241	81,217,139	36,595	75,106	14,838,847	12,487,811
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO	274	14,112	7,980	3,954,182	1,519,105	20	7,980	0	1,519,105
COLOMBIA	301	85,018	27,842	26,784,637	4,954,197	6,665	44	5,000	10,560
GUYANA	312	36,489	12,434	10,489,226	2,283,661	2,005	0	1,785,556	0
ECUADOR	331	73,116	7,686	20,210,996	1,143,771	2,005	7,686	522,225	1,143,771
PERU	333	223,209	87,279	67,269,398	19,426,902	46,664	30,755	12,857,091	5,519,470
BOLIVIA	335	17,619	16,806	4,898,187	2,781,445	14,111	0	3,712,580	0
BRASIL	351	9,795	45,752	4,163,774	7,945,857	0	29,217	0	4,870,440
PARAGUAY	353	1,050	1,091	311,552	224,708	1,050	0	311,552	0
URUGUAY	355	0	5,508	0	936,416	0	0	0	0
ARGENTINA	357	101,643	53,679	34,182,346	8,737,950	13,893	0	3,781,168	0
SWEDEN	401	1	2	868	2,170	0	0	0	0
UNITED KINGDOM	412	115	32	5,667	14,267	0	4	0	3,137
NETHERLANDS	421	248	0	75,165	0	248	0	75,165	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG	423	0	1	0	1,629	0	0	0	0
FRANCE	427	0	2,697	0	553,895	0	0	0	0
FED.REP.OF GERMANY	428	2	2/	4,895	802	2/	0	715	0
INDIA	533	181,123	0	59,059,877	0	0	0	0	0
THAILAND	549	109,987	0	33,931,803	0	28,876	0	7,374,579	0
PHILIPPINES	565	198,454	570,267	66,470,851	118,045,500	29,607	109,351	7,373,770	15,886,927
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA	570	15	3	10,636	1,368	0	0	0	0
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF	580	9,979	0	3,923,944	0	58	0	25,964	0
HONG KONG	582	1	2	387	1,281	0	0	0	0
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)	583	67,422	27,558	20,195,982	5,126,115	0	27,558	0	5,125,695
JAPAN	588	0	2/	0	582	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	602	216,972	283,829	71,645,905	45,844,065	0	0	0	0
KENYA	779	0	1	0	1,386	0	1	0	1,386
MAURITIUS	785	0	40,972	0	6,934,935	0	0	0	0
MOZAMBIQUE	787	0	50,155	0	9,128,481	0	0	0	0
MALAGASY REPUBLIC	788	12,566	0	4,308,661	0	0	0	0	0
REP SOUTH AFRICA	791	98,036	36,053	29,245,072	6,499,248	0	17,190	0	3,017,407
SWAZILAND	795	0	27,684	0	5,978,546	0	0	0	0
MALAWI	797	6,247	17,199	2,255,209	4,002,747	0	0	0	0
TOTAL WORLD		1,777,447	2,215,368	563,178,492	408,499,040	258,282	333,393	75,938,110	55,016,552

$\frac{1}{2}$  IMPORTS FOR CONSUMPTION, ACTUAL WEIGHT BASIS.



Table 28--U.S. cane or beet sugar imports: Quantity and value by country of origin,  
October-February 1975/76 and 1976/77 and February 1976 and 1977

Country	UNITS	October-February				February			
		1975/76	1976/77	1975/76	1976/77	1976	1977	1976	1977
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	SHORT TONS 1/	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	VALUE	VALUE	QUANTITY	QUANTITY	VALUE	VALUE
CANADA	122	21,152	12,852	8,285,968	3,602,049	2,829	2,154	1,072,228	644,799
MEXICO	201	68	83	31,717	59,043	5	32	4,048	12,742
GUATEMALA	205	29,661	216,929	8,846,742	39,474,207	23,928	118,831	7,426,169	21,932,276
EL SALVADOR	211	24,613	19,748	6,793,943	3,152,403	5,992	0	1,678,987	0
HONDURAS	219	0	24,122	0	4,122,758	0	16,750	0	2,928,500
NICARAGUA	215	32,301	32,196	10,073,108	5,142,155	24,548	17,494	7,903,888	2,854,010
COSTA RICA	223	5,214	43,242	1,790,796	6,828,939	0	16,908	0	2,935,521
PANAMA	225	19,891	9,937	6,095,150	1,710,658	15,831	9,937	4,773,745	1,710,658
JAMAICA	241	14,734	29,603	4,224,709	5,667,817	0	13,393	0	2,208,392
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	247	51,512	400,536	15,524,394	68,729,328	11,536	26,134	3,342,830	4,469,620
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO	274	14,112	0	3,954,182	0	14,112	0	3,954,182	0
COLOMBIA	301	84,998	27,797	26,779,637	4,943,637	121	13,772	41,140	2,609,821
GUAYANA	312	29,823	12,434	8,703,670	2,283,661	0	0	0	0
ECUADOR	331	71,110	0	19,688,771	0	23,911	0	6,511,999	0
PERU	333	176,545	56,524	58,412,307	13,907,432	42,689	0	12,068,237	0
BOLIVIA	335	3,507	16,806	1,185,607	2,781,445	0	11,362	0	1,793,726
BRAZIL	351	9,795	16,535	4,163,774	3,075,417	0	16,535	0	3,075,417
PARAGUAY	353	0	1,091	0	224,708	0	0	0	0
URUGUAY	355	0	5,508	0	936,416	0	0	0	0
ARGENTINA	357	87,749	53,679	30,401,178	8,737,950	11,761	20,576	3,258,369	2,987,785
SWEDEN	401	1	2	868	2,170	0	1	0	701
UNITED KINGDOM	412	115	28	5,667	11,130	0	1	0	819
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG	423	0	1	0	1,629	0	0	0	0
FRANCE	427	0	2,697	0	553,895	0	0	0	0
FED. REP. OF GERMANY	428	2	2/0	4,180	802	0	0	0	0
INDIA	533	181,123	0	59,059,877	0	29,255	0	8,500,770	0
THAILAND	539	81,112	0	26,557,224	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES	565	168,847	460,915	59,097,081	102,158,573	28,000	71,749	6,720,000	11,684,865
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA	570	15	3	10,636	1,368	5	1	3,002	270
KOREA-REPUBLIC OF	580	9,921	0	3,897,980	0	0	0	0	0
HONG KONG	582	1	2	387	1,281	1	2	387	1,281
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)	583	67,422	2/0	20,195,982	420	28,160	0	7,614,406	0
JAPAN	588	0	2/0	0	582	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA	602	216,972	283,829	71,645,905	45,844,065	29,965	22,971	8,674,161	3,721,274
MAURITIUS	785	40,972	0	0	6,934,935	0	11,760	0	1,893,360
MOZAMBIQUE	787	0	50,155	0	9,128,481	0	30,754	0	5,256,501
MALAGASY REPUBLIC	788	12,566	0	4,308,661	0	0	0	0	0
REP SOUTH AFRICA	791	98,036	18,862	29,245,072	3,481,841	26,263	17,829	7,774,762	3,305,552
SWAZILAND	795	0	27,684	0	5,978,546	0	0	0	0
MALAWI	797	6,247	17,199	2,255,209	4,002,747	0	0	0	0
TOTAL WORLD		1,519,165	1,881,975	487,240,382	353,482,488	318,911	438,944	91,523,310	76,027,890

1/ Imports for consumption, actual weight basis.  
2/ Less than 0.5.

TABLE 29 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	52,620,800	67,735,800	---	---	10,137,000	13,555,700
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	47,672,610	61,230,294	---	---	9,176,768	12,255,302
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	4,948,190	6,445,506	---	---	960,232	1,300,398
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---	1,895,565	3,344,037	---	---	---	---
BANANAS, FRESH	LB	2,188,047	2,281,276	---	---	122,167	152,677	---	---	423,278	419,754
PLANTAINS, FRESH	LB	70,642	66,848	---	---	3,988	3,988	---	---	12,390	25,783
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	LB	15,032	15,434	---	---	1,670	2,121	---	---	1,700	769
COFFEE, GREEN	LB	1,374,275	1,330,669	---	---	957,031	2,068,641	---	---	3,002	293
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	LB	32,491	37,098	---	---	69,419	132,075	---	---	243,279	478,513
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	LB	19,046	27,284	---	---	15,827	39,211	---	---	9,378	37,707
COCOA BEANS	LB	340,735	240,518	---	---	199,478	217,917	---	---	6,987	11,796
COCOA BUTTER	LB	26,785	22,295	---	---	34,242	49,530	---	---	42,590	38,834
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	LB	90,147	88,219	---	---	29,666	61,643	---	---	4,014	8,134
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	LB	48,833	55,447	---	---	38,208	53,887	---	---	15,469	6,536
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	LB	83,280	53,806	---	---	49,049	65,311	---	---	12,083	6,885
ESSENTIAL OILS	LB	4,913	7,112	---	---	25,367	36,882	---	---	17,041	12,808
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	LTN	26	31	---	---	14,759	---	---	---	853	9,768
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUMS:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	7	1,833
RUBBER, DRY FORM	LB	782,712	778,826	---	---	202,201	274,802	---	---	154,966	42,800
RUBBER, LATEX	LB	66,972	70,581	---	---	18,925	28,294	---	---	15,962	2,036
ALLIED GUMS	LB	14,030	2,679	---	---	6,517	2,348	---	---	644	659
SILK, RAW	LB	412	261	---	---	3,471	1,926	---	---	20	449
SPICES	LB	74,525	79,003	---	---	50,944	59,859	---	---	13,832	8,507
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	LB	29,981	32,222	---	---	20,739	25,878	---	---	5,720	3,423
VANILLA BEANS	LB	877	1,308	---	---	6,346	9,072	---	---	7	1,405
OTHER	LB	43,667	45,774	---	---	23,859	24,910	---	---	8,106	3,679
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	LB	83,307	104,100	---	---	42,945	61,398	---	---	22,889	8,343
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE	GLB	12,628	10,421	---	---	9,861	11,818	---	---	1,721	2,231
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	4,288	4,950	---	---	---	780
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---	3,052,625	3,101,469	---	---	---	540,478
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---	1,130,253	1,146,407	---	---	---	205,353
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	---	---	116,830	139,091	---	---	---	14,815
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	NO	465	675	---	---	81,723	105,095	---	---	77	9,179
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	4	5	---	---	3,649	4,156	---	---	1	1,156
HORSES	NO	4	4	---	---	28,105	26,969	---	---	1	3,333
SWINE	NO	18	19	---	---	2,975	2,341	---	---	5	580
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---	378	531	---	---	---	68
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---	141,341	161,744	---	---	---	21,906
CHEESE	LB	117,696	123,802	---	---	108,905	123,234	---	---	12,466	16,169
BLUE MOLD, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	LB	3,466	3,489	---	---	4,735	5,444	---	---	625	739
CHEDDAR	LB	9,384	9,086	---	---	6,548	6,229	---	---	99	143
EDAM AND GOUDA	LB	4,734	4,667	---	---	5,387	5,839	---	---	453	924
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	LB	35,581	38,007	---	---	34,212	41,149	---	---	5,340	7,224

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TABLE 29--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1976		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.
ROMANO,REGGIANO,PARMESANO	LB	9,262	6,317	8,702	6,400	1,774	1,382	947	1,382	1,774	1,382	947	1,382
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	LB	10,592	9,876	11,825	14,610	1,639	1,773	1,349	1,773	1,639	1,773	1,349	1,773
OTHER	LB	44,678	52,359	37,495	43,563	3,805	4,045	3,652	4,045	3,805	4,045	3,652	4,045
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	LB	46,579	68,757	26,246	31,829	8,254	4,389	12,794	4,389	8,254	4,389	12,794	4,389
NONFAT DRY MILK	LB	1,723	1,397	658	454	0	0	99	0	0	0	18	0
OTHER	---	---	---	5,531	6,227	---	496	---	496	---	496	---	496
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	102,177	97,609	---	24,088	---	24,088	---	24,088	---	24,088
CALF AND KIP SKINS	LB	490	341	271	263	158	91	71	91	158	91	71	91
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	LB	33,758	25,602	8,860	8,359	4,428	1,210	5,471	1,210	4,428	1,210	5,471	1,210
GOAT AND KID SKINS	LB	1,260	998	1,792	1,789	344	522	270	522	344	522	270	522
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	LB	20,242	13,382	32,471	20,657	6,564	9,283	3,927	9,283	6,564	9,283	3,927	9,283
FURSKINS	---	---	---	55,142	62,838	---	12,392	---	12,392	---	12,392	---	12,392
OTHER	---	---	---	3,641	3,703	---	591	---	591	---	591	---	591
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	LB	873,618	823,477	673,619	631,634	172,510	127,445	142,813	127,445	172,510	127,445	142,813	127,445
MEATS-P.L.88-482	LB	595,420	552,667	327,608	323,028	125,197	71,239	98,024	71,239	125,197	71,239	98,024	71,239
BEEF AND VEAL	LB	679,870	645,889	388,440	393,759	139,496	81,625	108,615	81,625	139,496	81,625	108,615	81,625
CANNED	LB	58,706	58,166	40,500	44,868	10,458	7,502	6,387	7,502	10,458	7,502	6,387	7,502
FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	597,852	562,065	328,901	327,642	126,193	71,647	98,807	71,647	126,193	71,647	98,807	71,647
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	LB	23,312	25,659	19,939	21,249	2,484	3,421	2,592	3,421	2,484	3,421	2,592	3,421
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	LB	12,580	10,188	6,607	6,988	2,419	1,491	2,592	1,491	2,419	1,491	2,592	1,491
PORK	LB	172,400	154,413	264,399	217,846	28,012	41,918	29,682	41,918	28,012	41,918	29,682	41,918
FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	14,196	10,986	11,853	7,430	2,290	1,520	2,577	1,520	2,290	1,520	2,577	1,520
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	LB	147,961	130,700	239,847	197,367	24,090	38,135	25,665	38,135	24,090	38,135	25,665	38,135
OTHER	LB	10,242	12,724	12,700	13,098	1,632	2,022	1,440	2,022	1,632	2,022	1,440	2,022
OTHER	LB	14,767	12,987	14,173	12,991	2,484	1,786	1,925	1,786	2,484	1,786	1,925	1,786
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	15,915	30,383	---	2,307	---	2,307	---	2,307	---	2,307
POULTRY MEAT	---	---	---	1,338	1,217	381	267	253	267	381	267	253	267
OTHER	---	---	---	1,577	1,408	33	60	241	60	33	60	241	60
EGGS IN SHELL	DOZ	6,549	9,991	11,997	25,798	1,147	1,850	1,821	1,850	1,147	1,850	1,821	1,850
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	LB	262	180	747	932	62	60	61	60	62	60	61	60
OTHER	---	---	---	1,237	1,027	---	70	---	70	---	70	---	70
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	80,371	85,948	---	16,426	---	16,426	---	16,426	---	16,426
BEE SWAX	LB	1,209	1,142	1,211	1,467	217	245	147	245	217	245	147	245
BONES, HOOF, AND HORNS	---	---	---	2,113	1,404	---	125	---	125	---	125	---	125
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	LB	774	1,993	2,865	6,691	204	662	361	662	204	662	361	662
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	LB	13,458	11,273	3,261	2,247	2,553	549	2,108	549	2,553	549	2,108	549
GELATIN	---	---	---	15,653	14,673	---	3,925	---	3,925	---	3,925	---	3,925
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	831	1,729	1,486	2,409	223	349	307	349	223	349	307	349
OSSEIN	LB	4,153	6,569	2,866	4,065	847	778	1,484	778	847	778	1,484	778
RENNET	LB	65	54	240	57	16	69	13	69	16	69	13	69
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	15,484	18,310	---	3,757	---	3,757	---	3,757	---	3,757
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, EX FREE	GLB	30,306	25,784	30,891	30,113	5,217	5,208	4,589	5,208	5,217	5,208	4,589	5,208
OTHER	---	---	---	4,301	4,512	---	1,062	---	1,062	---	1,062	---	1,062
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	1,922,372	1,955,061	---	335,125	---	335,125	---	335,125	---	335,125
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	62	53	14,652	11,542	39	10,907	6	10,907	39	10,907	6	10,907
COTTON, RAW	RBA	51	28	13,576	10,185	37	10,761	0	10,761	37	10,761	0	10,761
LINTERS	RBA	12	25	1,076	1,357	2	146	6	146	2	146	6	146

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TABLE 29 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH			MARCH		
		QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.
		75/76	75/76	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS							
APPLES, FRESH	LB	56,959	117,704	151,669	---	29,078	33,274
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	LB	2,064	6,484	6,940	8,047	933	1,597
APRICOTS	LB	1,736	3,310	1,458	547	80	364
BERRIES:	LB			2,223	504	303	275
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	3,092	1,840	1,015	335	116	65
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	LB	17,459	24,394	4,903	6,298	1,627	1,325
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	LB	14,570	28,995	8,199	4,267	1,064	3,755
OTHER	LB	10,035	18,208	4,197	1,297	362	929
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUITS	LB	2,038	3,676	2,092	115	90	241
CITRUS:	LB						
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	LB	4,059	13,389	1,940	1,023	253	344
ORANGES, CANNED	LB	40,021	34,763	10,534	6,838	1,807	3,109
ORANGES, FRESH	LB	47,552	83,996	10,034	1,482	303	528
OTHER	LB	5,151	6,516	952	924	129	289
DATES	LB	38,281	32,208	7,222	2,096	505	496
FIGS	LB	3,943	7,100	2,925	39	17	139
FRUIT JUICES:							
APPLE AND PEAR	GAL	13,198	10,950	5,952	1,685	505	526
GRAPE	GAL	418	297	248	304	164	50
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	GAL	22,211	11,758	3,987	6,244	2,306	769
PINEAPPLE	GAL	6,209	7,759	2,773	2,413	1,215	411
OTHER	GAL	2,647	1,735	3,138	569	603	1,030
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	LB	17,716	20,465	5,403	3,670	855	1,728
GRAPES, FRESH	LB	9,584	16,768	4,112	8,326	2,235	3,163
JAMS AND JELLIES	LB	3,829	4,749	2,378	804	348	757
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	LB	2,846	2,176	796	1,301	360	298
MELONS, FRESH	LB	82,761	55,816	4,629	62,025	4,215	2,830
PEARS, FRESH	LB	2,128	1,157	292	1,708	180	73
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	LB	36,342	60,844	1,646	8,871	16,972	620
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	LB	154,070	176,786	31,775	34,476	25,020	5,182
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	LB	2,472	2,102	546	300	70	50
OTHER	---	---	---	11,551	---	1,931	2,326
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS							
BRAZIL	---	---	---	75,027	---	---	16,093
CASHEWS	LB	9,470	8,501	4,639	1,335	718	653
CHESTNUTS	LB	54,994	50,537	4,951	6,851	8,777	8,725
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	LB	11,765	10,941	3,032	71	39	27
FILBERTS	LB	57,916	54,609	10,761	5,928	1,060	1,962
PISTACHE	LB	4,773	6,315	4,383	1,328	951	757
OTHER	LB	3,517	7,389	4,617	1,062	1,393	2,368
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS							
BARLEY	BU	---	---	3,524	---	376	1,600
CORN, EXC SEED	BU	5,802	2,786	87,078	---	13,018	13,476
OATS	BU	923	751	22,340	591	2,435	2,585
RICE	BU	2,301	710	3,576	134	581	147
WHEAT, EXC, SEED	BU	0	2,087	1,129	21	40	457
WHEAT FLOUR	CWT	10	0	400	1,522	291	116
WHEAT GLUTEN	LB	17,514	26,684	100	0	0	0
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	LB	40,190	41,965	90	1	12	7
BREAD CRUMBS	LB	12,766	14,081	11,782	3,215	1,121	1,564
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	LB	2,448	2,111	28,048	7,563	4,611	5,013
				3,833	1,734	509	544
				846	294	108	103

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TABLE 29 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH			MARCH		
		QUANTITY		VALUE	QUANTITY		VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/		1976	1977 1/	
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	LB	30,173	30,820	10,319	5,896	5,715	2,003
OTHER	---	---	---	12,692	---	---	1,927
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	299,976	---	---	1,306
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	16	13	319,881	---	---	39,933
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	---	---	---	2,275	4	2	521
FLAXSEED	LB	7,630	80,093	30,282	---	---	6,812
MUSTARD SEED	LB	34,423	39,374	942	285	10,148	34
SESAME SEED	LB	26,299	37,123	6,529	8,101	6,580	1,303
POPPY SEED	CWT	47	36	8,813	9,179	11,212	1,109
SUNFLOWER SEED	LB	1,911	2,769	1,758	5	7	3,500
OTHER	---	---	---	289	46	---	477
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	---	---	---	11,950	---	---	65
BABASSU OIL	LB	1,481,434	1,254,505	267,420	175,470	176,188	2,334
CARNAUBA WAX	LB	3,021	2,708	14	---	---	2,817
CASTOR OIL	LB	40,844	59,185	2,720	772	537	32,600
COCONUT OIL	LB	669,648	634,802	9,478	11,219	7,145	671
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	LB	34,019	30,665	102,807	6,505	9,207	2,444
PALM OIL	LB	605,557	406,792	23,466	6,946	5,013	2,610
PALM KERNEL OIL	LB	81,891	75,247	101,807	70,315	42,168	21,703
RAPESEED OIL	LB	5,013	6,918	14,786	12,517	11,654	4,522
SESAME OIL	LB	1,339	2,135	1,353	456	2,327	3,049
TUNG OIL	LB	23,971	13,828	1,217	228	314	11,298
OTHER	LB	16,114	22,196	4,732	5,655	4,135	2,806
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---	661,776	2,857	---	104
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	STN	1,777	2,215	563,178	---	---	275
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	GAL	184,283	166,794	408,499	258	333	1,961
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIRUP	LB	3,976	4,715	44,334	5,130	47,610	891
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	LB	57,936	50,903	2,985	532	915	98,619
HONEY	LB	24,757	19,098	37,425	10,103	8,005	75,938
OTHER	---	---	---	7,742	6,013	6,114	55,017
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	6,111	---	---	12,940
FRESH OR FROZEN:	---	---	---	226,932	---	---	437
ASPARAGUS	LB	7,470	6,279	2,389	5,755	2,367	6,438
BEANS	LB	13,163	13,144	1,062	1,027	3,521	1,885
CARROTS	LB	62,659	60,838	1,409	1,118	3,521	1,122
CUCUMBERS	LB	174,782	107,695	4,202	5,043	8,387	1,885
DASHEENS	LB	10,199	13,633	9,510	42,889	37,020	116
EGGPLANT	LB	24,296	23,693	1,762	2,623	1,949	2,469
GARLIC	LB	5,829	5,426	1,295	7,617	8,036	374
LETTUCE	LB	525	762	2,294	2,017	3,430	412
ONIONS	LB	61,077	59,110	123	52	12	748
PEAS	LB	9,593	10,315	5,286	27,313	17,801	8
PEPPERS	LB	70,673	83,782	2,200	3,296	2,666	2,137
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	CWT	171	274	8,136	20,126	28,812	774
SQUASH	LB	41,064	50,252	904	19	128	2,347
TOMATOES	LB	325,871	405,842	2,322	11,071	15,696	581
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	LB	583	642	35,113	93,661	119,375	105
OTHER	CWT	---	---	8,979	70	---	632
	---	---	---	12,826	---	---	9,653
	---	---	---	8,979	---	---	448
	---	---	---	12,826	---	---	2,279
	---	---	---	12,826	---	---	3,355

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TABLE 29--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76 THOU.	76/77 1/ THOU. 1,000 DOL. 1,000 DOL.	1976 THOU.	1977 1/ THOU. 1,000 DOL. 1,000 DOL.
DRIED:					
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	LB	16,546	18,977	2,604	5,811
CHICKPEAS	LB	3,784	9,354	756	809
MUSHROOMS	LB	483	767	70	132
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	LB	2,603	4,687	557	698
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:					
ARTICHOKES	LB	5,966	5,478	1,004	497
ASPARAGUS	LB	2,314	3,007	794	608
BEAN CAKE, CURD	LB	1,211	1,358	209	187
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	LB	47,860	48,595	7,857	9,390
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	LB	12,401	9,572	852	1,104
MUSHROOMS	LB	23,102	24,559	5,351	7,549
OLIVES, IN BRINE	GAL	8,356	7,922	1,798	1,694
ONIONS	LB	3,701	3,972	869	901
PALM HEARTS	LB	303	1,291	10	532
PEAS, INCLUDING COWPEAS	LB	8,301	6,501	2,441	1,580
PIMIENTOS	LB	3,602	6,707	985	1,337
SOUPS AND SAUCES	LB	16,820	17,868	2,825	2,972
STARCH, POTATO	LB	7,731	9,174	1,389	1,503
TOMATOES	LB	59,101	82,726	14,474	9,328
WATERCHESTNUTS	LB	11,103	10,929	3,876	4,517
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS					
BROOMCORN	STN	5	6	1	1
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	---	---
ESSENTIAL OILS	LB	705	2,409	149	1,371
FEEDS & FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	---	---
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---	---	---
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	LTN	3	8	2	1
MALT LIQUORS	GAL	26,692	35,069	5,639	5,689
NURSERY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---	---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	LB	65,664	45,732	7,401	9,576
SPICES	LB	14,289	17,209	3,166	3,396
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	161,121	147,835	28,241	23,063
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	LB	88,327	78,980	16,845	11,596
VINES	GAL	29,288	32,257	5,396	5,368
WINES, STILL GRAPE, UNDER 14% ALCH	GAL	21,408	24,874	3,950	4,242
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 30--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH 75/76	MARCH 76/77	1976	1977
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---
BANANAS, FRESH	LB	.356	.067	.059	.068
PLANTAINS, FRESH	LB	.048	.058	.050	.068
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	LB	.111	.137	.098	.178
COFFEE, GREEN	LB	.696	1.555	.767	1.967
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	LB	2.137	3.560	2.135	4.021
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	LB	.831	1.437	.893	1.688
COCOA BEANS	LB	.585	.906	.603	1.037
COCOA BUTTER	LB	1.278	2.222	1.388	2.386
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	LB	.329	.699	.348	.886
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	LB	.782	.972	.779	1.020
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	LB	.539	1.214	.579	1.214
ESSENTIAL OILS	LB	5.164	5.186	5.611	6.608
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	LTN	422.437	482.183	445.185	478.083
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUMS:					
RUBBER, DRY FORM	LB	.258	.353	.276	.357
RUBBER, LATEX	LB	.283	.401	.309	.421
ALLIED GUMS	LB	.465	.876	.507	.763
SILK, RAW	LB	8.422	7.372	8.128	8.411
SPICES	LB	.684	.758	.681	.737
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	LB	.692	.803	.673	.955
VANILLA BEANS	LB	7.234	6.935	7.021	4.666
OTHER	LB	.546	.548	.510	.580
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	LB	.516	.590	.529	.628
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE	GLB	.731	1.134	.854	1.189
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	---	---
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	NO	175.795	155.673	134.609	140.729
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	816.001	900.248	723.286	801.419
HORSES	NO	6,653.572	6,464.306	5,648.844	5,047.133
SWINE	NO	162.672	123.674	153.711	133.668
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
CHEESE	LB	.925	.995	1.042	1.233
BLUE MOLD, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	LB	1.366	1.560	1.615	2.022
CHEDDAR	LB	.698	.686	.876	1.442
EDAM AND GOUDA	LB	1.138	1.251	1.199	1.326
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	LB	.962	1.083	1.038	1.192

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TABLE 30 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	: OCTOBER-MARCH :		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
ROMANO,REGGIANO,PARMESANO	LB	.940	1.013	.779	1.165
PECORINO AND SHEEPSMILK	LB	1.116	1.479	1.075	1.314
OTHER	LB	.839	.832	1.063	1.130
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	LB	.563	.463	.532	.475
NONFAT DRY MILK	LB	.382	.325	---	.181
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
CALF AND KIP SKINS	LB	.552	.771	.574	.834
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	LB	.262	.326	.273	.325
GOAT AND KID SKINS	LB	1.422	1.793	1.519	1.485
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	LB	1.604	1.544	1.414	1.553
FURSKINS	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	LB	.766	.767	.739	.799
MEATS-P.L.88-482	LB	.550	.584	.569	.623
BEEF AND VEAL	LB	.571	.610	.585	.636
CANNED	LB	.690	.771	.717	.737
FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	.550	.583	.568	.622
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	LB	.817	.828	.870	.842
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	LB	.525	.686	.616	.696
PORK	LB	1.534	1.411	1.496	1.396
FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	.835	.676	.769	.590
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	LB	1.621	1.510	1.583	1.494
OTHER	LB	1.240	1.029	1.239	1.094
OTHER	LB	.960	1.000	.934	.928
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BABY CHICKS	NO	.856	.870	.702	1.999
EGGS IN SHELL	DOZ	1.932	.610	1.791	.912
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	LB	1.832	2.582	1.612	2.792
POULTRY MEAT	LB	2.849	5.184	.982	4.734
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BEESWAX	LB	1.002	1.284	1.131	1.622
BONES, HOOFES, AND HORNS	---	---	---	---	---
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	LB	3.682	3.358	3.238	3.847
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	LB	.242	.199	.215	.234
GELATIN	---	---	---	---	---
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	1.789	1.393	1.566	1.584
OSSEIN	LB	.690	.619	.560	.524
RENNET	LB	3.689	1.054	4.259	.612
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	---	---	---
WOOL,UNMANUFACTURED,EX FREE	GLB	1.019	1.168	.998	1.235
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	236.134	218.874	283.067	71.328
COTTON, RAW	RBA	270.418	361.415	293.154	662.340
LINTERS	RBA	90.823	55.283	80.066	57.085

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TABLE 30--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
APPLES, FRESH	LB	.114	.140	.116	.144
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	LB	.187	.215	.147	.291
APRICOTS	LB	.578	.672	.601	.710
BERRIES:					
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	LB	.428	.551	.483	.565
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	LB	.270	.201	.258	.167
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	LB	.240	.283	.249	.269
OTHER	LB	.161	.231	.279	.311
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUITS	LB	.546	.569	.786	.894
CITRUS:					
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	LB	.196	.145	.247	.211
ORANGES, CANNED	LB	.267	.303	.264	.312
ORANGES, FRESH	LB	.092	.119	.205	.126
OTHER	LB	.154	.146	.140	.194
DATES	LB	.189	.232	.241	.210
FIGS	LB	.367	.412	.447	.549
FRUIT JUICES:					
APPLE AND PEAR	GAL	.313	.544	.300	.637
GRAPE	GAL	.765	.834	.541	.809
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	GAL	.320	.339	.326	.333
PINEAPPLE	GAL	.328	.357	.304	.338
OTHER	GAL	1.145	1.809	1.059	2.028
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	LB	.220	.264	.233	.287
GRAPES, FRESH	LB	.271	.245	.268	.301
JAMS AND JELLIES	LB	.498	.501	.432	.534
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	LB	.280	.278	.277	.267
MELONS, FRESH	LB	.070	.083	.068	.082
PEARS, FRESH	LB	.137	.177	.105	.112
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	LB	.045	.052	.049	.037
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	LB	.206	.215	.196	.207
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	LB	.243	.260	.232	.230
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
BRAZIL	LB	.490	.657	.538	.785
CASHEWS	LB	.817	.973	.736	.994
CHESTNUTS	LB	.258	.363	.551	.598
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	LB	.186	.237	.179	.286
FILBERTS	LB	.734	.694	.716	.727
PISTACHE	LB	1.313	1.340	1.312	1.463
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
BARLEY	BU	3.851	3.542	4.123	3.499
CORN, EXC SEED	BU	3.875	3.478	4.328	19.545
OATS	BU	1.734	1.591	1.893	1.608
RICE	LB	.248	.192	.191	.181
WHEAT, EXC, SEED	BU	27.389	1,851.852	---	---
WHEAT FLOUR	CWT	12.245	11.904	11.959	12.778
WHEAT GLUTEN	LB	.331	.442	.349	.460
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	LB	.663	.692	.610	.641
BREAD CRUMBS	LB	.286	.272	.293	.281
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	LB	.389	.401	.367	.346

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TABLE 30--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	LB	.342	.342	.340	.337
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	STN	129.731	125.415	120.785	126.730
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	---	---	---	---	---
FLAXSEED	LB	.123	.133	.119	.133
MUSTARD SEED	LB	.170	.165	.161	.169
SESAME SEED	LB	.335	.317	.309	.312
POPPY SEED	CWT	37.279	64.396	62.032	69.481
SUNFLOWER SEED	LB	.151	.200	.190	.137
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	LB	.181	.215	.186	.243
BABASSU OIL	LB	.800	.235	---	---
CARNAUBA WAX	LB	.900	.939	.869	.897
CASTOR OIL	LB	.232	.357	.218	.365
COCONUT OIL	LB	.154	.190	.142	.219
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	LB	.690	.582	.651	.608
PALM OIL	LB	.168	.180	.161	.190
PALM KERNEL OIL	LB	.181	.240	.165	.241
RAPESEED OIL	LB	.270	.232	.227	.228
SESAME OIL	LB	.909	.863	.934	.874
TUNG OIL	LB	.210	.468	.221	.532
OTHER	LB	.294	.313	.312	.358
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	STN	316.847	184.393	294.014	165.021
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	GAL	.241	.264	.239	.223
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIRUP	LB	.751	.719	.821	.697
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	LB	.646	.563	.637	.557
HONEY	LB	.313	.317	.290	.309
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	---	---
FRESH OR FROZEN:					
ASPARAGUS	LB	.320	.388	.328	.381
BEANS	LB	.105	.107	.115	.115
CARROTS	LB	.043	.069	.023	.045
CUCUMBERS	LB	.054	.057	.058	.061
DASHEENS	LB	.173	.135	.142	.140
EGGPLANT	LB	.053	.053	.054	.054
GARLIC	LB	.394	.467	.371	.460
LETTUCE	LB	.235	.192	.161	.167
ONIONS	LB	.091	.089	.078	.103
PEAS	LB	.229	.255	.235	.316
PEPPERS	LB	.115	.111	.117	.109
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	CWT	5.289	4.286	5.395	4.542
SQUASH	LB	.057	.062	.057	.062
TOMATOES	LB	.108	.114	.103	.104
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	CWT	5.816	6.768	6.442	9.585
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

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TABLE 30 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: UNIT VALUES BY COMMODITY GROUP  
DOLLARS PER UNIT

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		75/76	76/77	1976	1977
DRIED:					
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	LB	.195	.216	.243	.212
CHICKPEAS	LB	.200	.254	.187	.318
MUSHROOMS	LB	4.170	3.775	3.916	3.106
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	LB	.191	.187	.167	.230
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:					
ARTICHOKES	LB	.329	.413	.369	.414
ASPARAGUS	LB	.434	.524	.385	.474
BEAN CAKE, CURD	LB	.579	.627	.595	.624
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	LB	.083	.088	.086	.081
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	LB	1.333	1.515	1.470	1.643
MUSHROOMS	LB	.771	1.062	.761	1.093
OLIVES, IN BRINE	GAL	4.536	4.717	4.547	4.764
ONIONS	LB	.477	.505	.462	.509
PALM HEARTS	LB	.499	.641	.561	.642
PEAS, INCLUDING COWPEAS	LB	.279	.286	.313	.333
PIMIENTOS	LB	.553	.578	.548	.540
SOUPS AND SAUCES	LB	.572	.620	.628	.704
STARCH, POTATO	LB	.079	.101	.081	.107
TOMATOES	LB	.173	.192	.155	.194
WATERCHESTNUTS	LB	.387	.374	.384	.351
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	---	---
BROOMCORN	STN	1,157.681	980.756	1,164.525	953.053
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	---	---
ESSENTIAL OILS	LB	2.510	1.290	3.009	.949
FEEDS & FODDERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	---	---
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---	---	---
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	LTN	210.443	210.457	282.707	250.068
MALT LIQUORS	GAL	1.805	1.977	1.844	1.951
NURSERY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---	---	---
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	LB	.409	.552	.555	.561
SPICES	LB	.562	.602	.537	.618
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	LB	.807	1.032	.849	1.043
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	LB	.853	1.228	.895	1.255
WINES	GAL	5.213	5.405	4.959	5.107
WINES, STILL GRAPE, UNDER 14% ALCH	GAL	4.976	5.178	4.811	4.816
OTHER	---	---	---	---	---

TABLE 31 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976
		THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	DOL.
ALL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
NONAGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
COMPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
BANANAS, FRESH	KG	992,498	1,034,787	1,895,565	3,344,037	197,755	191,999	419,754	757,415	419,754	757,415
PLANTAINS, FRESH	KG	32,043	31,230	122,167	152,677	6,933	5,620	25,783	28,914	25,783	28,914
BANANAS, PLANTAINS, DRIED OR PREPARED	KG	6,819	7,061	3,375	3,988	1,362	771	769	840	769	840
COFFEE, GREEN	KG	623,371	603,591	957,031	2,068,641	138,666	110,351	234,325	478,513	234,325	478,513
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXTRACTS	KG	14,738	16,528	69,419	132,075	3,042	4,254	14,313	37,707	14,313	37,707
COFFEE, ROASTED OR GROUND	KG	8,639	12,376	15,827	39,211	815	3,170	1,606	11,796	1,606	11,796
COCOA BEANS	KG	154,557	109,099	199,478	217,917	29,218	19,319	38,834	44,163	38,834	44,163
COCOA BUTTER	KG	12,150	10,113	34,242	49,530	2,658	1,821	8,134	9,578	8,134	9,578
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	KG	40,891	40,614	29,666	61,643	8,526	7,017	6,536	13,709	6,536	13,709
CHOCOLATE PREPARATIONS	KG	22,151	25,151	38,208	53,887	4,008	5,481	6,885	12,329	6,885	12,329
DRUGS, HERBS, ROOTS, LEAVES, ETC	KG	37,776	24,406	49,049	65,311	7,730	5,810	9,868	15,549	9,868	15,549
ESSENTIAL OILS	KG	2,225	3,221	25,367	36,882	385	385	4,768	5,636	4,768	5,636
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MT	26	31	10,914	14,759	4	7	1,833	3,459	1,833	3,459
RUBBER, AND ALLIED GUNS:											
RUBBER, DRY FORM	KG	355,034	353,275	20,201	274,802	70,293	76,372	42,800	60,061	42,800	60,061
RUBBER, LATEX	KG	30,378	32,015	18,925	28,294	2,990	7,241	2,036	6,718	2,036	6,718
ALLIED GUNS	KG	6,364	1,215	6,517	2,348	590	292	491	491	491	491
SILK, RAW	KG	187	119	3,471	1,926	25	9	449	168	449	168
SPICES	KG	33,805	35,836	50,944	59,859	5,667	6,274	8,507	10,199	8,507	10,199
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	KG	13,599	14,616	20,739	25,878	2,306	2,594	3,423	5,462	3,423	5,462
VANILLA BEANS	KG	398	593	6,346	9,072	91	3	1,405	33	1,405	33
OTHER	KG	19,807	20,627	23,859	24,910	3,270	3,677	3,679	4,704	3,679	4,704
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	KG	37,788	47,220	42,945	61,398	7,158	10,382	8,343	14,370	8,343	14,370
WOOL, UNMANUFACTURED, FREE	KG	5,726	4,727	9,861	11,818	1,185	781	2,231	2,046	2,231	2,046
OTHER	---	---	---	4,288	4,950	---	---	780	864	---	---
SUPPLEMENTARY	---	---	---	3,052,325	3,101,060	---	---	540,478	542,984	---	---
ANIMAL AND ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	---	1,130,253	1,146,407	---	---	205,353	201,790	---	---
ANIMALS, LIVE	---	---	---	116,830	139,091	---	---	14,032	14,815	---	---
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	NO	465	675	81,723	105,095	68	77	9,179	10,770	---	---
CATTLE FOR BREEDING, FREE	NO	4	5	3,649	4,156	1	1	888	612	---	---
HORSES	NO	4	4	28,105	26,969	1	1	3,333	2,690	---	---
SWINE	NO	18	19	2,975	2,341	4	5	580	674	---	---
OTHER	---	---	---	378	531	---	---	52	68	---	---
DAIRY PRODUCTS	---	---	---	141,341	161,744	---	---	21,053	21,906	---	---
CHEESE	KG	53,387	56,157	108,905	123,234	7,035	5,655	15,169	15,376	---	---
BLUE MOLD, INCLUDING ROQUEFORT	KG	1,572	1,533	4,735	5,444	208	284	739	1,265	---	---
CHEDDAR	KG	4,256	4,121	6,548	6,229	47	45	91	143	---	---
EDAM AND GOUDA	KG	2,147	2,117	5,387	5,839	350	205	924	601	---	---
EMMENTHALER OR SWISS, INC GRUYERE	KG	16,140	17,240	34,212	41,149	3,157	2,422	7,224	6,364	---	---

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TABLE 31--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	75/76	1977 1/	1976
		THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
ROMANO,REGGIANO,FARMESANO	KG	4,201	9,702	805	1,382
PECORINO AND SHEEP MILK	KG	4,805	11,825	744	1,763
OTHER	KG	20,266	37,495	1,726	4,045
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	KG	21,124	26,246	3,744	4,329
NONFAT DRY MILK	KG	782	658	0	0
OTHER	---	---	5,531	---	496
HIDES AND SKINS, INCLUDING FURSKINS	---	---	102,177	---	24,088
CALF AND KIP SKINS	KG	222	271	72	91
CATTLE HIDES, WHOLE	KG	15,313	8,860	2,008	1,210
GOAT AND KID SKINS	KG	572	1,792	156	522
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	KG	9,182	32,471	2,977	9,283
FURSKINS	---	---	55,142	---	12,392
OTHER	---	---	3,641	---	591
MEAT AND MEAT PRODUCTS	KG	398,995	673,619	78,250	127,445
MEATS-P.L.88-482	KG	270,482	327,608	56,789	71,239
BEEF AND VEAL	KG	308,383	388,440	63,276	81,625
CANNED	KG	26,629	40,500	4,744	7,502
FRESH OR FROZEN	KG	271,186	328,901	57,241	71,647
PREPARED OR PRESERVED	KG	10,574	19,039	1,291	2,882
MUTTON, GOAT, AND LAMB	KG	5,706	6,607	1,097	1,803
PORK	KG	78,201	264,399	12,706	14,918
FRESH OR FROZEN	KG	6,441	11,853	1,039	1,761
HAMS AND SHOULDERS,CND,COOKED	KG	67,115	239,847	10,927	38,135
OTHER	KG	4,646	12,700	740	2,022
POULTRY AND POULTRY PRODUCTS	---	---	14,173	1,171	2,412
BABY CHICKS	NO	1,563	1,338	381	2,307
EGGS IN SHELL	DOZ	309	597	33	60
FEATHERS AND DOWNS, CRUDE, SORTED	KG	2,971	11,997	520	1,850
POULTRY MEAT	KG	119	747	28	289
OTHER	---	---	1,237	---	70
OTHER ANIMAL PRODUCTS	---	---	80,371	---	16,426
BEE SWAX	KG	543	1,211	98	245
BONES, HOOF, AND HORNS	---	---	2,113	---	125
BRISTLES, CRUDE OR PREPARED	KG	353	2,865	93	662
FATS, OILS, AND GREASES	KG	6,105	3,261	1,158	549
GELATIN	---	---	15,653	---	3,925
HAIR, UNMANUFACTURED	KG	377	1,486	101	349
OSSEIN	KG	1,884	2,866	384	474
RENNET	KG	31	240	7	69
SAUSAGE CASINGS	---	---	15,484	---	3,757
WOOL,UNMANUFACTURED,EX FREE	KG	13,747	30,891	2,366	5,208
OTHER	---	---	4,301	---	1,062
VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	1,922,072	---	335,125
COTTON, UNMANUFACTURED	RBA	62	14,652	39	10,907
COTTON, RAW	RBA	50	13,576	37	10,761
LINTERS	RBA	12	1,076	2	146

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TABLE 31--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH			MARCH		
		QUANTITY	VALUE		QUANTITY	VALUE	
			75/76	76/77 1/2		1977 1/	1976
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.
FRUITS AND PREPARATIONS							
APPLES, FRESH	KG	25,837	22,565	117,704	---	29,078	33,274
APPLES, PREPARED OR PRESERVED	KG	936	3,082	6,940	3,650	933	1,597
APRICOTS	KG	787	1,501	385	228	568	364
BERRIES:				1,003	2,223	176	275
BLUEBERRIES, FRESH OR FROZEN	KG	1,402	835	1,322	152	53	65
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	KG	7,920	11,065	4,708	2,857	3,595	1,325
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	KG	6,609	13,152	3,498	1,936	6,336	3,755
OTHER	KG	4,552	8,259	1,620	588	1,354	929
CANDIED OR GLACE FRUITS	KG	925	1,668	1,113	52	123	241
CITRUS:							
GRAPEFRUIT, FRESH	KG	1,841	6,073	795	464	740	344
ORANGES, CANNED	KG	18,153	15,769	10,683	3,102	4,526	1,807
ORANGES, FRESH	KG	21,569	38,101	4,391	672	1,905	303
OTHER	KG	2,337	2,956	792	419	678	129
DATES	KG	17,364	14,610	7,222	951	1,072	505
FIGS	KG	1,789	3,220	1,449	17	115	139
FRUIT JUICES							
APPLE AND PEAR	LIT	49,960	41,448	4,134	6,376	3,130	505
GRAPE	LIT	1,584	1,125	320	1,150	234	50
ORANGE, CONCENTRATED	LIT	84,076	44,507	7,115	23,636	8,729	2,034
PINEAPPLE	LIT	23,503	29,370	2,036	9,135	4,600	733
OTHER	LIT	10,021	6,567	3,032	2,154	1,923	411
FRUIT PEEL, PASTE AND PULP	KG	8,036	9,283	3,898	1,665	2,727	855
GRAPES, FRESH	KG	4,347	7,605	2,598	3,777	4,767	2,235
JAMS AND JELLIES	KG	1,737	2,154	1,907	365	643	348
MANGOES, FRESH OR PREPARED	KG	1,291	987	796	590	506	298
MELONS, FRESH	KG	37,450	25,318	5,819	28,135	15,631	4,215
PEARS, FRESH	KG	965	525	292	775	299	73
PINEAPPLES, FRESH	KG	16,485	27,599	1,646	4,024	7,699	439
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	KG	69,886	80,190	31,775	15,638	11,349	6,772
PINEAPPLES, PREPARED, EXC CANNED	KG	1,121	954	600	136	98	50
OTHER	---	---	---	6,273	---	---	1,931
NUTS AND PREPARATIONS							
BRAZIL	---	---	---	75,027	---	---	2,326
CASHEWS	KG	4,296	3,856	4,639	---	---	16,093
CHESTNUTS	KG	24,945	22,924	44,951	606	377	718
COCONUT MEAT, FRESH OR PREPARED	KG	5,337	4,963	3,032	3,112	3,981	5,047
FILBERTS	KG	26,271	24,771	10,761	32	21	39
PISTACHE	KG	2,165	3,505	12,921	2,689	3,110	1,962
OTHER	KG	1,595	3,352	4,383	602	473	951
GRAINS AND PREPARATIONS							
BARLEY	KG	126,314	60,648	3,524	---	---	2,368
CORN, EXC SEED	KG	23,446	19,078	87,078	12,858	16,081	13,476
OATS	KG	3,190	10,302	3,576	3,412	190	2,435
RICE	KG	1,044	947	381	309	4,126	581
WHEAT, EXC, SEED	KG	1	1	570	690	291	40
WHEAT FLOUR	KG	475	343	1	0	0	116
WHEAT GLUTEN	KG	7,945	12,104	129	47	23	0
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS ETC	KG	18,230	19,035	5,803	1,459	1,542	12
BREAD CRUMBS	KG	5,791	6,387	29,048	3,431	1,121	1,564
BREAD, YEAST-LEAVENED	KG	1,111	958	3,653	787	3,550	5,013
				953	134	877	544
				846	135	108	103

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TABLE 31--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
		THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	THOU.	THOU.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	KG	13,636	13,980	10,319	10,551	2,674	2,592	2,003	1,927
OTHER	---	---	---	12,692	6,621	---	---	1,306	1,013
OILSEEDS AND PRODUCTS	KG	733,493	667,679	299,676	319,492	93,844	97,385	39,933	52,418
OIL CAKE AND MEAL	KG	13,882	9,534	1,975	1,218	3,911	1,489	521	208
OILSEEDS AND OILNUTS	KG	47,633	89,102	30,282	48,036	10,339	15,977	6,812	9,315
FLAXSEED	KG	3,461	36,330	942	10,675	129	4,603	34	1,347
MUSTARD SEED	KG	17,429	17,860	6,529	6,509	3,675	2,985	1,303	1,109
SESAME SEED	KG	11,923	16,839	8,813	11,753	4,163	5,086	2,837	3,500
POPPY SEED	KG	2,139	1,630	1,758	2,313	216	311	295	477
SUNFLOWER SEED	KG	867	1,256	289	553	21	215	9	65
OTHER	KG	11,804	15,187	11,950	16,235	2,135	2,777	2,334	2,817
VEGETABLE OILS AND WAXES	KG	671,979	569,043	267,420	270,236	79,593	79,919	32,600	42,894
BABASSU OIL	KG	8	14	14	7	0	0	0	0
CARNAUBA WAX	KG	1,370	1,228	2,720	2,543	350	244	671	482
CASTOR OIL	KG	18,527	26,846	9,478	21,105	5,089	3,241	2,444	2,610
COCONUT OIL	KG	303,752	287,946	102,807	120,728	29,259	45,000	9,143	21,703
OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE	KG	15,431	13,910	23,466	17,850	3,151	2,274	4,522	3,049
PALM OIL	KG	274,681	184,520	101,807	73,058	31,895	19,128	11,298	7,996
PALM KERNEL OIL	KG	37,146	34,132	14,786	18,085	5,678	5,286	2,061	2,806
RAPESEED OIL	KG	2,274	3,138	1,353	1,606	207	1,056	104	531
SESAME OIL	KG	607	968	1,217	1,843	103	143	213	275
TUNG OIL	KG	10,873	6,272	5,041	6,468	2,565	1,672	1,252	1,961
OTHER	KG	7,309	10,068	4,732	6,943	1,296	1,876	891	1,482
SUGAR AND RELATED PRODUCTS	---	---	---	661,776	497,932	---	---	98,619	73,204
SUGAR, CANE OR BEET	MT	1,617	2,610	563,178	408,499	234	302	75,938	55,017
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	LIT	697,596	638,941	44,334	44,612	264,899	186,219	12,940	10,638
MAPLE SUGAR AND SIFUP	KG	1,804	2,139	2,985	3,389	241	415	437	638
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	KG	26,280	23,090	37,425	28,676	4,583	3,631	6,438	4,458
HONEY	KG	11,237	8,659	7,742	6,057	2,727	2,773	1,745	1,888
OTHER	---	---	---	6,111	6,699	---	---	1,122	565
VEGETABLES AND PREPARATIONS	---	---	---	226,932	275,409	---	---	52,609	64,909
FRESH OR FROZEN:	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
ASPARAGUS	KG	3,382	2,848	2,349	2,437	2,610	1,074	1,865	902
BEANS	KG	4,610	5,962	1,062	1,409	466	1,597	118	404
CARROTS	KG	28,422	27,596	2,719	4,202	2,288	3,804	116	374
CUCUMBERS	KG	79,281	85,229	9,510	10,655	19,455	16,792	2,489	2,240
DASHEENS	KG	4,626	6,184	1,762	1,843	1,190	884	374	272
EGGPLANT	KG	11,027	10,834	1,295	1,257	3,455	3,645	412	435
GARLIC	KG	2,644	2,461	2,294	2,532	915	1,556	748	1,577
LETTUCE	KG	238	346	123	146	23	5	8	2
ONIONS	KG	27,704	26,812	5,544	5,286	12,389	8,074	2,137	1,826
PEAS	KG	4,351	4,679	2,200	2,633	843	1,209	774	843
PEPPERS	KG	32,057	38,004	8,136	9,328	9,129	13,069	2,347	3,136
POTATOES, WHITE OR IRISH	KG	7,751	12,449	904	1,176	879	5,799	105	581
SQUASH	KG	18,627	22,794	2,322	3,109	5,022	7,120	632	978
TOMATOES	KG	147,815	184,090	35,113	46,277	42,485	54,146	9,653	12,385
TURNIPS OR RUTABAGAS	KG	26,466	29,408	3,394	4,388	3,153	3,434	448	726
OTHER	---	---	---	3,979	12,826	---	---	2,279	3,355

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TABLE 31--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.
		75/76	75/76	1976	1976	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
		THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.	THOU.	DOL.
DRIED:									
BEANS, INCLUDING MUNG	KG	7,505	3,224	4,097	2,636	1,181	634	1,230	1,230
CHICKPEAS	KG	1,717	755	2,380	367	343	141	258	258
MUSHROOMS	KG	213	2,012	2,893	60	32	275	410	410
PEAS, EXCEPT CHICKPEAS	KG	1,181	497	876	316	253	93	160	160
OTHER	---	---	3,379	4,951	---	---	989	1,318	1,318
PREPARED OR PRESERVED:									
ARTICHOKES	KG	2,706	1,965	2,262	455	455	370	206	206
ASPARAGUS	KG	1,050	1,364	1,577	360	360	306	288	288
BEAN CAKE, CURD	KG	549	702	852	95	95	124	117	117
CASSAVA, FLOUR, STARCH, TAPIOCA	KG	21,709	3,989	4,282	3,564	3,564	677	761	761
HOPS, INCLUDING EXTRACTS	KG	5,625	16,531	14,505	386	386	1,252	1,815	1,815
MUSHROOMS	KG	10,479	11,140	26,091	2,427	2,427	4,073	8,249	8,249
OLIVES, IN BRINE	LIT	31,630	29,989	37,370	6,806	6,806	8,175	8,072	8,072
ONIONS	KG	1,679	1,802	2,004	394	394	401	458	458
PALM HEARTS	KG	137	585	827	4	4	6	341	341
PEAS, INCLUDING COMPEAS	KG	3,765	2,949	1,862	1,107	1,107	764	527	527
PIMIENTOS	KG	1,634	3,042	3,876	447	447	540	722	722
SOUPS AND SAUCES	KG	7,637	9,615	11,075	1,282	1,282	1,774	2,093	2,093
STARCH, POTATO	KG	3,507	4,161	926	630	630	112	161	161
TOMATOES	KG	26,804	37,525	15,898	6,565	6,565	2,247	1,810	1,810
WATERCHESTNUTS	KG	5,036	4,957	4,090	1,758	1,758	1,490	1,584	1,584
OTHER	---	---	---	23,210	---	---	3,642	4,294	4,294
OTHER VEGETABLE PRODUCTS	---	---	---	527,513	---	---	81,377	87,365	87,365
BROOMCORN	MT	6	7,071	6,135	1	1	990	688	688
CUT FLOWERS	---	---	---	15,974	---	---	2,317	2,946	2,946
ESSENTIAL OILS	KG	321	1,093	3,108	67	67	447	1,301	1,301
FLEDS & FOODERS, EX OIL CAKE & MEAL	---	---	---	35,600	---	---	4,261	6,145	6,145
FLAVORING EXTRACTS	---	---	---	7,885	---	---	1,230	1,749	1,749
JUTE AND JUTE BUTTS, UNMANUFACTURED	MT	9	1,945	1,753	2	2	496	203	203
MALT LIQUORS	LIT	101,037	132,746	69,326	21,347	21,347	10,398	11,097	11,097
NURSERY & GREENHOUSE STOCK	---	---	---	21,317	---	---	3,795	3,587	3,587
SEEDS, EXCEPT OILSEEDS	KG	42,843	28,432	29,257	6,355	6,355	4,110	5,369	5,369
SPICES	KG	6,481	7,806	10,359	1,436	1,436	1,701	2,099	2,099
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	KG	73,085	67,858	152,541	12,810	12,810	23,981	24,054	24,054
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	KG	40,065	35,825	97,006	7,641	7,641	15,076	14,557	14,557
WINES	LIT	110,864	122,105	174,357	20,426	20,426	26,757	27,418	27,418
WINES, STILL GRAPE, UNDER 14% ALCH	LIT	81,035	94,154	128,795	14,951	14,951	19,002	20,431	20,431
OTHER	---	---	---	3,902	---	---	895	709	709

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/		VALUE	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	VALUE	1,000 DOL.
BANANAS, FRESH											
GUATEMALA	MLB	2,188,047	2,281,276	122,167	152,677	435,968	423,278	25,783	28,914	25,783	28,914
HONDURAS		240,640	219,727	10,273	9,349	61,394	32,890	2,707	1,396	2,707	1,396
NICARAGUA		395,118	529,311	23,551	38,279	120,937	94,410	7,438	7,100	7,438	7,100
COSTA RICA		140,086	137,295	10,176	10,619	12,882	21,714	912	1,672	912	1,672
PANAMA		773,401	714,814	42,813	48,065	104,826	113,711	6,517	7,777	6,517	7,777
COLOMBIA		108,747	113,993	4,047	7,606	3,437	27,294	132	1,649	132	1,649
ECUADOR		139,447	99,716	6,888	6,451	26,352	22,524	1,385	1,491	1,385	1,491
OTHER		384,656	438,285	24,022	30,998	105,047	103,126	6,620	7,424	6,620	7,424
		5,952	28,134	398	1,311	1,093	7,610	74	404	74	404
PLANTAINS, FRESH											
GUATEMALA	MLB	70,642	68,848	3,375	3,988	15,284	12,390	769	840	769	840
COSTA RICA		3,582	2,530	242	140	1,433	527	91	29	91	29
COLOMBIA		4,717	5,774	251	443	891	976	54	77	54	77
ECUADOR		34,168	34,139	1,270	1,484	7,326	5,689	295	281	295	281
OTHER		25,679	22,934	1,454	1,676	5,301	4,596	303	389	303	389
		2,496	3,470	158	245	332	601	26	63	26	63
COFFEE, GREEN											
MEXICO	MLB	1,374,275	1,330,669	957,031	2,068,641	305,701	243,279	234,325	478,513	234,325	478,513
GUATEMALA		134,406	125,364	103,372	225,975	29,901	26,918	24,612	58,634	24,612	58,634
EL SALVADOR		56,016	77,669	41,085	122,354	8,708	14,439	7,018	28,560	7,018	28,560
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		33,807	76,044	26,809	128,804	15,893	30,615	14,155	57,551	14,155	57,551
COLOMBIA		58,275	32,757	43,812	59,659	16,129	6,498	13,227	15,049	13,227	15,049
VENEZUELA		224,595	184,315	175,146	314,641	47,945	37,610	39,313	76,515	39,313	76,515
ECUADOR		30,160	9,426	23,087	17,513	8,878	3,307	7,215	7,145	7,215	7,145
PERU		32,094	63,558	20,308	93,959	5,848	8,927	4,128	18,046	4,128	18,046
BRAZIL		36,086	41,635	24,022	60,116	5,458	4,244	4,139	8,441	4,139	8,441
INDONESIA		142,345	324,192	122,672	488,854	23,338	29,730	23,199	54,754	23,199	54,754
IVORY COAST		67,769	44,339	32,235	59,565	10,310	8,903	5,558	15,995	5,558	15,995
ANGOLA		92,233	52,666	64,193	80,424	28,749	21,884	20,189	41,258	20,189	41,258
ETHIOPIA		154,449	132	76,035	176	16,784	0	9,560	0	9,560	0
UGANDA		46,077	15,120	33,727	23,534	17,596	3,042	13,914	6,413	13,914	6,413
OTHER		60,912	81,120	36,198	104,530	12,784	13,916	8,549	25,124	12,784	25,124
		205,010	202,331	134,331	289,538	57,379	33,244	39,548	65,026	39,548	65,026
COFFEE, SOLUBLE, EXT											
CANADA	MLB	32,491	37,098	69,419	132,075	6,706	9,378	14,313	37,707	14,313	37,707
BRAZIL		504	1,223	914	5,350	402	581	622	1,963	402	581
FRANCE		24,790	27,933	44,569	99,137	5,324	6,863	10,353	27,409	5,324	6,863
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		4,191	2,647	15,048	13,075	292	931	1,157	4,722	292	931
SPAIN		91	1,062	306	3,049	0	221	0	872	0	872
OTHER		1,178	1,025	4,158	4,536	255	150	941	905	255	150
		1,736	3,208	4,423	6,927	432	632	1,241	1,838	432	632
COCOA BEANS											
MEXICO	MLB	340,735	240,518	199,478	217,917	64,414	42,590	38,834	44,163	64,414	44,163
COSTA RICA		0	9,423	0	10,243	0	1,296	0	1,489	0	1,489
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		3,882	3,916	2,269	4,925	793	488	486	739	793	739
		13,137	14,994	7,692	19,327	5,037	1,694	3,052	2,513	5,037	2,513

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
				1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.			1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
VENEZUELA		7,402	0	4,411	0	1,852	0	1,222	0
ECUADOR		12,313	9,260	8,020	11,995	2,240	1,673	1,485	2,279
BRAZIL		121,099	40,978	69,373	42,052	13,796	6,322	8,785	9,425
PAPUA NEW GUINEA		11,622	5,715	6,922	6,783	3,367	739	2,085	768
IVORY COAST		63,412	87,858	38,703	67,142	5,742	15,593	3,657	13,774
GHANA		48,943	33,117	29,027	24,107	15,253	10,301	8,740	8,286
NIGERIA		41,739	22,764	23,216	18,125	10,941	2,195	6,218	1,949
OTHER		17,187	12,494	9,846	13,220	5,392	2,289	3,104	2,941
COCOA BUTTER	MLB								
MEXICO		26,785	22,295	34,242	49,530	5,859	4,014	8,134	9,578
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		3,639	4,388	4,764	8,704	790	1,161	1,096	2,675
ECUADOR		585	310	758	732	205	45	285	124
BRAZIL		904	518	1,105	1,174	55	220	78	500
UNITED KINGDOM		9,099	5,718	10,804	11,070	1,131	992	1,406	2,004
NETHERLANDS		775	480	1,092	1,331	222	148	301	367
PHILIPPINES		664	805	845	1,650	66	67	86	164
IVORY COAST		914	872	964	1,616	130	96	155	216
OTHER		9,058	7,759	12,429	20,600	3,042	968	4,438	2,880
		1,148	1,444	1,481	2,652	218	318	290	648
COCOA, POWDER & CAKE	MLB								
ECUADOR		90,147	88,219	29,666	61,643	18,796	15,469	6,536	13,709
BRAZIL		931	1,864	265	1,329	529	728	160	852
NETHERLANDS		27,778	25,341	6,272	14,656	5,518	2,107	1,479	1,714
FRANCE		25,545	26,958	12,357	22,602	4,396	5,208	2,157	5,548
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		4,958	4,239	1,752	3,490	1,240	1,160	488	925
IVORY COAST		9,573	10,875	3,813	6,769	2,096	2,431	835	1,538
GHANA		5,624	6,363	1,598	4,619	1,331	1,594	440	1,390
NIGERIA		2,843	3,003	593	1,866	784	1,352	171	917
OTHER		8,928	2,604	1,826	1,159	1,984	0	526	0
		3,928	6,973	1,188	5,153	919	890	280	825
ESSENTIAL OILS	MLB								
MEXICO		4,913	7,112	25,367	36,882	850	853	4,768	5,636
HAITI		329	431	2,725	3,397	33	11	145	155
BRAZIL		180	256	2,201	3,307	66	61	766	1,011
PARAGUAY		736	1,517	1,424	3,472	43	203	84	487
FRANCE		195	214	618	724	51	24	163	67
SPAIN		662	854	6,260	9,471	118	116	1,207	1,276
ITALY		100	172	368	1,020	11	18	37	160
INDIA		54	68	716	811	13	33	176	315
INDONESIA		82	46	1,102	1,398	5	9	103	130
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		831	721	2,330	3,272	114	88	285	585
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		591	1,207	1,476	1,939	64	104	223	311
FRENCH IND OCEAN ARS		312	447	642	986	106	34	211	68
OTHER		59	50	1,238	1,258	28	2	454	63
		781	1,128	4,267	5,827	198	150	914	1,008
FIBERS, EX COTTON, JUTE	MLTN								
MEXICO		26	31	10,914	14,759	4	7	1,833	3,459
		3	2	1,496	1,212	1	0	267	238

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER--MARCH				MARCH				VALUE	
		QUANTITY	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76 1,000 DOL.	76/77 1/ 1,000 DOL.	QUANTITY	1977 1/ 1,000 DOL.	1976 1,000 DOL.	1977 1/ 1,000 DOL.	1976 1,000 DOL.
ECUADOR											
BRAZIL		5	5	5	3,257	3,110	1	1	561	561	530
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		3	7	7	389	1,742	0	2	14	14	137
THAILAND		4	1	1	657	276	0	1	42	42	306
PHILIPPINES		5	4	4	2,461	3,190	1	0	378	378	1,243
KENYA		4	9	9	1,359	4,328	1	3	76	76	95
OTHER		1	1	1	638	406	0	0	95	95	60,061
		2	1	1	658	495	0	0	42,800	42,800	5,779
RUBBER, DRY FORM	MLB	782,702	778,826	778,826	202,201	274,802	154,966	168,370	17,037	17,037	18,529
THAILAND		46,394	82,043	82,043	12,083	27,921	15,253	48,597	4,093	4,093	2,831
MALAYSIA		257,514	223,251	223,251	69,735	84,295	40,161	8,367	22,000	22,000	27,074
SINGAPORE		24,752	30,310	30,310	6,319	10,441	2,830	79,125	1,195	1,195	6,718
INDONESIA		387,923	374,369	374,369	95,665	125,895	83,796	11,277	820	820	295
LIBERIA		50,868	52,429	52,429	13,325	18,526	10,327	3,966	912	912	3,691
OTHER		15,250	16,424	16,424	5,072	7,723	3,200	24	9	9	13
RUBBER, LATEX	MLB	66,972	70,581	70,581	18,925	28,294	6,591	15,962	2,036	2,036	2,464
MALAYSIA		21,895	29,360	29,360	6,596	12,253	2,658	5,840	295	295	550
INDONESIA		12,095	11,491	11,491	2,826	4,156	1,133	1,380	912	912	3,691
LIBERIA		31,916	29,599	29,599	9,303	11,826	2,773	8,719	24	24	9
OTHER		1,066	131	131	199	58	27	2	4	4	2
PEPPER, BLACK, UNGROUND	MLB	29,941	32,222	32,222	20,739	25,878	5,084	5,720	3,423	3,423	5,462
BRAZIL		10,936	11,014	11,014	7,170	8,603	1,898	1,677	1,210	1,210	1,658
INDIA		2,867	1,584	1,584	2,208	1,305	56	889	43	43	924
MALAYSIA		5,008	3,790	3,790	3,375	3,203	123	1,317	81	81	1,220
SINGAPORE		1,102	1,326	1,326	840	1,027	265	167	201	201	139
INDONESIA		9,915	14,457	14,457	7,039	11,698	2,740	1,668	1,884	1,884	1,520
OTHER		153	51	51	108	41	3	2	4	4	2
TEA, CRUDE OR PREPARED	MLB	83,307	104,100	104,100	42,945	61,398	15,779	22,889	8,343	8,343	14,370
CANADA		2,773	3,063	3,063	2,859	3,665	501	924	546	546	1,059
BRAZIL		1,415	2,550	2,550	606	1,677	655	849	278	278	507
ARGENTINA		1,083	3,905	3,905	302	1,468	103	1,695	33	33	701
NETHERLANDS		1,407	2,880	2,880	698	1,387	294	726	140	140	436
INDIA		8,799	14,800	14,800	5,834	9,975	992	4,374	652	652	2,766
SRI LANKA (CEYLON)		23,468	21,310	21,310	11,448	13,218	4,265	3,995	2,430	2,430	2,660
INDONESIA		12,379	16,086	16,086	5,896	9,840	2,979	3,771	1,248	1,248	2,396
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		2,751	5,434	5,434	1,132	2,433	309	349	141	141	214
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		4,708	6,424	6,424	1,713	2,002	517	1,048	151	151	319
JAPAN		4,318	3,548	3,548	1,002	960	911	647	202	202	168
KENYA		11,821	10,969	10,969	7,082	7,652	2,504	2,150	1,654	1,654	1,755
MALAWI		2,332	4,088	4,088	972	1,973	759	980	326	326	485
OTHER		6,054	9,043	9,043	3,402	5,147	991	1,381	545	545	905
WOOL, UNMFD, DUTY FREE	MGLB	12,628	10,421	10,421	9,861	11,818	2,613	1,721	2,231	2,231	2,046
ARGENTINA		1,509	1,070	1,070	1,111	1,236	266	243	234	234	318

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/		1976		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/
		1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.	1,000 DOL.
UNITED KINGDOM		1,838	1,718	1,595	1,979	232	284	246	353										
SYRIA		404	457	230	404	111	30	56	28										
NEW ZEALAND		8,154	6,326	6,444	7,515	1,744	1,132	1,546	1,317										
OTHER		723	850	481	685	259	33	149	30										
CATTLE, DUTIABLE	MNO	465	675	81,723	105,095	68	77	9,179	10,770										
CANADA		265	237	52,560	47,759	42	32	5,920	4,948										
MEXICO		200	438	24,870	55,351	27	45	2,829	5,651										
FRANCE		0	0	2,771	1,385	0	0	13	50										
OTHER		0	0	1,522	599	0	0	417	121										
CHEESE	MLB	117,696	123,802	108,905	123,234	15,510	12,466	16,169	15,376										
CANADA		2,223	1,647	2,344	1,962	297	281	299	339										
ARGENTINA		7,823	5,746	5,492	3,757	1,565	797	979	573										
NORWAY		8,469	7,944	8,524	10,394	1,775	1,844	1,878	2,565										
FINLAND		9,307	11,875	7,460	10,755	1,920	1,027	1,689	915										
DENMARK		18,189	12,001	16,687	13,807	2,090	1,563	2,051	1,833										
NETHERLANDS		4,592	4,557	5,429	6,016	856	469	1,016	634										
FRANCE		6,102	6,878	9,468	10,981	1,066	1,157	1,741	2,055										
AUSTRIA		8,691	8,328	7,640	7,719	1,459	1,541	1,375	1,621										
SWITZERLAND		7,285	8,082	8,656	10,351	1,686	1,123	2,066	1,505										
ITALY		10,002	8,785	13,378	15,436	1,306	1,107	1,817	2,023										
AUSTRALIA		5,860	5,292	2,892	2,839	70	0	40	0										
NEW ZEALAND		18,621	30,930	12,138	19,110	0	14	0	9										
OTHER		10,531	11,735	8,397	10,207	1,431	1,543	1,218	1,303										
CASEIN AND MIXTURES	MLB	46,579	68,757	26,246	31,829	8,254	12,794	4,389	6,075										
ARGENTINA		5,712	4,666	2,520	1,777	1,340	911	551	365										
NETHERLANDS		807	617	698	421	84	28	74	19										
FRANCE		1,241	0	762	0	44	0	29	0										
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,738	52	1,072	29	231	6	140	4										
POLAND		1,835	2,378	789	1,031	104	0	43	0										
USSR		2,487	897	987	345	491	99	177	40										
AUSTRALIA		13,190	17,807	7,632	8,340	2,132	4,344	1,216	2,109										
NEW ZEALAND		16,348	40,019	9,887	18,700	3,187	6,802	1,799	3,262										
OTHER		3,222	2,320	1,900	1,186	640	605	360	276										
SHEEP AND LAMB SKINS	MLB	20,242	13,382	32,471	20,657	6,564	3,927	9,283	6,097										
TURKEY		832	0	2,252	0	310	0	874	0										
IRAN		11,300	5,037	20,958	8,118	2,602	886	4,660	1,530										
AFGHANISTAN		579	612	1,131	1,261	164	59	327	130										
NEW ZEALAND		4,934	4,277	4,219	5,661	2,926	2,175	2,677	3,063										
SUDAN		397	897	631	1,503	105	531	156	883										
NIGERIA		306	766	822	1,980	19	127	59	369										
REP. SOUTH AFRICA		396	377	621	709	33	22	47	57										
OTHER		1,498	1,417	1,835	1,425	404	126	483	65										
BEEF AND VEAL	MLB	679,870	645,889	388,440	393,759	139,496	108,615	81,625	69,036										
CANADA		31,898	41,365	20,388	25,008	9,353	10,438	6,336	6,514										

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COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	DOL.	1976	DOL.
MEXICO		75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
GUATEMALA		24,360	38,349	4,321	22,172	6,797	2,885	4,514	2,457
HONDURAS		21,783	19,671	2,316	13,646	3,311	1,654	2,457	2,457
NICARAGUA		23,696	22,523	3,261	14,191	5,304	2,038	3,502	3,502
COSTA RICA		31,982	29,775	3,375	19,266	4,263	2,218	2,927	2,927
BRAZIL		37,871	30,896	7,903	20,133	8,442	4,994	5,797	5,797
ARGENTINA		24,709	28,735	4,736	23,748	3,245	3,811	2,623	2,623
AUSTRALIA		49,838	45,941	7,640	34,900	5,627	5,265	4,193	4,193
NEW ZEALAND		296,730	272,100	61,746	151,268	41,768	32,955	24,786	24,786
OTHER		104,416	98,452	28,406	56,534	16,690	15,291	9,739	9,739
		32,588	18,082	6,439	12,894	2,731	4,177	1,983	1,983
PORK	MLR	172,400	154,413	28,012	217,896	29,682	41,918	41,441	41,441
CANADA		16,251	15,372	2,603	9,998	2,825	2,252	1,898	1,898
DENMARK		54,934	44,600	9,347	68,525	8,434	14,960	12,746	12,746
NETHERLANDS		37,832	24,181	5,657	36,212	3,821	9,217	5,743	5,743
HUNGARY		6,478	7,979	1,066	10,017	1,786	1,448	2,358	2,358
POLAND		35,524	40,743	5,316	61,187	8,374	8,254	12,536	12,536
YUGOSLAVIA		14,715	14,804	3,075	21,217	3,620	4,488	5,140	5,140
ROMANIA		4,836	7,119	564	7,200	388	693	422	422
OTHER		1,830	2,447	384	3,539	435	605	597	597
GELATIN	M----	0	0	0	14,673	0	3,925	3,128	3,128
MEXICO		0	0	0	866	0	315	179	179
COLOMBIA		0	0	0	373	0	151	45	45
BRAZIL		0	0	0	300	0	241	39	39
SWEDEN		0	0	0	837	0	192	68	68
UNITED KINGDOM		0	0	0	2,515	0	272	720	720
NETHERLANDS		0	0	0	557	0	150	124	124
RELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		0	0	0	1,898	0	343	294	294
FRANCE		0	0	0	3,198	0	1,615	730	730
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		0	0	0	987	0	163	194	194
ITALY		0	0	0	322	0	34	72	72
YUGOSLAVIA		0	0	0	410	0	78	224	224
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		0	0	0	848	0	54	205	205
JAPAN		0	0	0	383	0	33	79	79
AUSTRALIA		0	0	0	775	0	165	80	80
OTHER		0	0	0	496	0	120	76	76
SAUSAGE CASINGS	M----	0	0	0	19,310	0	3,757	4,422	4,422
CANADA		0	0	0	1,721	0	259	359	359
MEXICO		0	0	0	1,622	0	84	240	240
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		0	0	0	608	0	119	54	54
BRAZIL		0	0	0	428	0	50	113	113
ARGENTINA		0	0	0	516	0	209	139	139
SWEDEN		0	0	0	1,023	0	85	201	201
DENMARK		0	0	0	1,893	0	397	401	401
UNITED KINGDOM		0	0	0	277	0	70	45	45

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
NETHERLANDS		0	0	0	1,720	0	2,253	0	0	0	308
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		0	0	0	408	0	310	0	0	0	54
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		0	0	0	1,946	0	2,600	0	0	0	462
SPAIN		0	0	0	852	0	1,042	0	0	0	160
PORTUGAL		0	0	0	730	0	598	0	0	0	357
YUGOSLAVIA		0	0	0	234	0	487	0	0	0	21
AUSTRALIA		0	0	0	819	0	616	0	0	0	93
NEW ZEALAND		0	0	0	2,307	0	1,757	0	0	0	277
OTHER		0	0	0	579	0	558	0	0	0	691
											148
WOOL, UNMFD. EX FREE	MGB	30,306	25,784	30,891	30,113	5,217	4,589	5,208	5,760		
ARGENTINA		4,711	2,411	3,472	2,431	823	162	662	231		
IRAN		800	280	1,290	593	75	72	126	176		
PEOPLES REP OF CHINA		518	611	1,023	1,179	79	72	133	171		
MONGOLIA		716	368	1,029	850	158	70	229	196		
AUSTRALIA		19,899	18,523	20,382	20,309	3,421	3,469	3,332	3,959		
NEW ZEALAND		1,533	2,055	1,263	2,389	493	276	457	349		
REP SOUTH AFRICA		880	899	833	1,041	51	396	61	485		
OTHER		1,248	638	1,599	1,321	118	73	209	192		
COTTON, RAW	MRBA	50	28	13,576	10,185	37	0	10,761	99		
MEXICO		0	19	84	5,773	0	0	0	0		
PERU		0	7	0	3,099	0	0	0	0		
ISRAEL		4	1	1,130	441	0	0	0	0		
INDIA		10	0	1,423	0	3	0	366	0		
EGYPT		2	1	804	591	1	0	657	99		
SUDAN		33	0	9,712	203	33	0	9,712	0		
OTHER		2	0	423	37	0	0	25	0		
STRAWBERRIES, FRESH	MLP	17,459	24,394	4,708	4,903	6,298	7,926	1,627	1,325		
MEXICO		17,389	24,301	4,657	4,831	6,298	7,926	1,626	1,325		
OTHER		70	93	52	72	0	0	1	0		
STRAWBERRIES, FROZEN	MLB	14,570	28,995	3,498	8,199	4,267	13,955	1,064	3,755		
MEXICO		10,462	22,777	2,500	6,231	3,601	12,778	901	3,372		
POLAND		3,838	6,217	934	1,968	578	1,178	142	383		
OTHER		270	0	63	0	88	0	21	0		
ORANGES, CANNED	MLB	40,021	34,763	10,683	10,534	6,838	9,977	1,807	3,109		
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		7,964	7,999	1,687	2,118	2,146	4,428	480	1,206		
JAPAN		31,259	26,066	8,796	8,212	4,418	5,273	1,259	1,817		
OTHER		798	699	200	204	273	277	69	86		
PINEAPPLES, CANNED	MLB	154,070	176,786	31,775	38,084	34,476	25,020	6,772	5,182		
MEXICO		6,658	14,071	1,723	3,528	2,635	2,670	666	644		
THAILAND		21,839	36,081	4,822	7,817	4,458	3,293	990	717		
MALAYSIA		5,867	7,971	1,472	1,902	1,130	1,583	282	391		

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.
SINGAPORE		6,473	4,732	1,547	1,129	1,101	1,005	267	241		
PHILIPPINES		87,039	97,899	16,099	20,118	21,966	14,550	3,863	2,744		
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		19,031	10,627	4,447	2,530	2,673	1,380	599	343		
REP. SOUTH AFRICA		3,146	2,769	659	595	56	55	11	11		
OTHER		4,017	2,636	1,005	465	456	484	93	91		
CASHEW NUTS	MLB	54,994	50,537	44,951	49,184	6,861	8,777	5,047	8,725		
CANADA		1,236	514	1,308	585	100	0	77	0		
BRAZIL		10,149	8,093	6,774	7,941	1,801	1,426	1,141	1,664		
INDIA		26,797	17,257	25,716	19,110	2,372	1,582	1,897	1,750		
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		1,243	2,482	689	2,269	187	251	99	318		
TANZANIA		807	2,070	604	1,951	151	385	115	445		
MOZAMBIQUE		13,946	18,586	9,178	15,682	2,052	4,911	1,549	4,269		
OTHER		818	1,535	682	1,646	199	221	168	279		
COCONUT MEAT	MLB	57,916	54,609	10,761	12,921	5,928	6,857	1,060	1,962		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		2,101	547	654	194	298	130	109	50		
PHILIPPINES		53,931	49,716	9,655	11,660	5,403	6,463	893	1,823		
HONG KONG		91	1,792	17	404	0	1	0	1		
OTHER		1,794	2,554	435	662	226	263	58	89		
BARLEY	MBU	5,802	2,786	22,340	9,868	591	739	2,435	2,585		
CANADA		5,802	2,784	22,340	9,867	591	739	2,435	2,585		
OTHER		0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0		
BISCUITS, CAKES, WAFERS, ETC	MLR	40,190	41,965	26,660	29,048	7,563	7,826	4,611	5,013		
CANADA		18,311	17,210	10,507	9,834	3,274	3,430	1,838	2,003		
MEXICO		2,615	2,106	1,089	763	411	464	163	167		
DENMARK		2,203	3,873	2,616	4,605	254	241	271	270		
UNITED KINGDOM		5,049	6,022	3,508	3,932	995	1,416	619	895		
NETHERLANDS		1,197	2,152	1,022	1,743	175	178	171	177		
FED. REP. OF GERMANY		1,263	1,954	1,342	1,921	115	199	224	224		
ITALY		411	803	526	932	30	166	55	188		
ISRAEL		1,964	1,773	868	808	1,080	637	445	328		
JAPAN		1,644	1,606	1,580	1,580	311	268	307	247		
OTHER		5,533	4,464	3,603	2,931	920	826	610	515		
MACARONI, SPAGHETTI, ETC	MLB	30,173	30,820	10,319	10,551	5,896	5,715	2,003	1,927		
CANADA		13,175	12,209	4,410	4,039	2,598	2,484	849	799		
MEXICO		4,508	3,130	1,084	581	716	517	173	106		
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		756	698	304	276	103	158	42	64		
ITALY		5,785	7,709	1,835	2,151	1,430	1,214	437	332		
PHILIPPINES		405	527	242	304	100	83	61	42		
PEOPLES REP. OF CHINA		414	915	157	507	60	206	25	115		
HONG KONG		1,123	1,250	693	828	203	196	125	145		
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		541	595	331	460	83	36	53	129		
JAPAN		1,699	1,828	668	754	320	326	137	129		
OTHER		1,768	1,959	594	651	281	495	100	167		

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		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
<b>OTLSEEDS AND OILNUTS</b>													
CANADA	MLB	104,954	196,372	30,259	48,010	22,793	35,201	35,201	6,811	9,303	9,303	9,303	9,303
MEXICO		53,641	123,681	8,803	17,907	9,004	17,077	17,077	1,481	2,578	2,578	2,578	2,578
GUATEMALA		11,598	29,369	4,284	8,785	2,546	9,190	9,190	1,075	2,688	2,688	2,688	2,688
NICARAGUA		10,437	9,009	2,860	2,735	5,408	2,120	2,120	1,365	383	383	383	383
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		2,995	2,579	1,211	1,089	553	909	909	220	334	334	334	334
ARGENTINA		1,426	4,594	400	1,472	330	1,019	1,019	83	93	93	93	93
NETHERLANDS		1,861	1,582	622	500	105	291	291	31	204	204	204	204
SPAIN		3,307	2,424	1,013	1,494	78	272	272	181	146	146	146	146
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		1,493	1,621	1,038	1,165	222	229	229	96	153	153	153	153
JAPAN		1,063	1,967	544	971	198	294	294	1,044	886	886	886	886
OTHER		6,865	8,135	4,249	6,048	1,860	1,322	1,322	1,180	1,212	1,212	1,212	1,212
		10,268	11,411	5,230	5,842	2,489	2,478	2,478	1,180	1,212	1,212	1,212	1,212
<b>COCONUT OIL</b>													
PHILIPPINES	MLB	669,648	634,802	102,807	120,728	64,505	99,207	99,207	9,143	21,703	21,703	21,703	21,703
OTHER		641,976	613,629	98,032	116,594	64,491	97,017	97,017	9,132	21,195	21,195	21,195	21,195
		27,671	21,173	4,775	4,134	13	2,190	2,190	11	508	508	508	508
<b>OLIVE OIL, EDIBLE</b>													
SPAIN	MLB	34,019	30,665	23,444	17,850	6,946	5,013	5,013	4,522	3,049	3,049	3,049	3,049
PORTUGAL		18,152	12,228	12,203	6,889	3,762	2,685	2,685	2,361	1,616	1,616	1,616	1,616
ITALY		324	420	368	415	0	92	92	0	99	99	99	99
GREECE		13,842	13,150	9,708	7,848	2,769	2,086	2,086	1,934	1,239	1,239	1,239	1,239
TUNISIA		644	673	517	460	136	95	95	101	63	63	63	63
OTHER		463	3,594	343	1,942	0	44	44	0	23	23	23	23
		594	600	327	295	279	10	10	126	9	9	9	9
<b>PALM OIL</b>													
MALAYSIA	MLB	405,557	406,790	101,807	73,058	70,315	42,168	42,168	11,298	7,996	7,996	7,996	7,996
SINGAPORE		567,457	366,476	96,370	65,680	69,186	35,439	35,439	11,112	6,652	6,652	6,652	6,652
INDONESIA		9,959	16,811	1,585	3,144	0	1,089	1,089	0	220	220	220	220
OTHER		14,397	20,060	2,185	3,563	1,102	5,641	5,641	181	1,125	1,125	1,125	1,125
		13,744	3,443	1,666	672	27	0	0	5	0	0	0	0
<b>PALM KERNEL OIL</b>													
NETHERLANDS	MLB	81,891	75,247	14,786	18,085	12,517	11,654	11,654	2,061	2,806	2,806	2,806	2,806
MALAYSIA		8,940	10,785	3,297	4,677	597	1,475	1,475	317	613	613	613	613
SINGAPORE		54,784	47,712	8,542	9,946	11,820	5,544	5,544	1,745	1,227	1,227	1,227	1,227
INDONESIA		0	3,543	0	722	0	2,427	2,427	0	509	509	509	509
BENIN (DAHOMEY)		10,319	10,972	1,586	2,240	0	2,205	2,205	0	456	456	456	456
LIBERIA		2,208	0	398	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		1,106	2,234	182	458	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		4,534	2	781	1	0	2	2	0	1	1	1	1
<b>SUGAR, CANE OR BEET</b>													
CANADA	MSTN	1,777	2,215	563,174	408,499	258	333	333	75,938	55,017	55,017	55,017	55,017
GUATEMALA		24	18	9,425	4,956	3	5	5	1,139	1,354	1,354	1,354	1,354
EL SALVADOR		49	220	14,548	39,937	19	3	3	5,701	463	463	463	463
HONDURAS		43	22	11,956	3,505	18	2	2	5,162	352	352	352	352
NICARAGUA		0	24	0	4,123	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
		41	32	12,427	5,142	8	0	0	2,354	0	0	0	0

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TABLE 32--U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH		MARCH		1976		1977 1/		1977 1/	
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
COSTA RICA											
PANAMA		13	4,136	43	6,829	8	2,345	0	2,345	0	0
JAMAICA		36	10,957	23	3,968	16	4,862	13	4,862	2,257	2,257
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		21	5,929	30	5,668	6	1,704	0	1,704	0	0
COLOMBIA		88	30,363	476	81,217	37	14,839	75	14,839	12,488	12,488
GUYANA		85	26,785	28	4,954	0	5	0	5	11	11
ECUADOR		36	10,489	12	2,284	7	1,786	0	1,786	0	0
PERU		73	20,211	8	1,144	2	522	8	522	1,144	1,144
BRAZIL		223	67,269	87	19,427	47	12,857	31	12,857	5,519	5,519
ARGENTINA		10	4,164	46	7,946	0	0	29	0	4,870	4,870
INDIA		102	34,182	54	8,738	14	3,781	0	3,781	0	0
THAILAND		181	59,060	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES		110	33,932	0	0	29	7,375	0	7,375	0	0
REP. OF CHINA (TAIWAN)		198	68,471	570	118,046	30	7,374	109	7,374	15,887	15,887
AUSTRALIA		67	20,196	28	5,126	0	0	28	0	5,126	5,126
MAURITIUS		217	71,646	284	45,844	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOZAMBIQUE		0	0	41	6,935	0	0	0	0	0	0
REP SOUTH AFRICA		0	0	50	9,128	0	0	0	0	0	0
SWAZILAND		98	29,245	36	6,499	0	0	17	0	3,017	3,017
OTHER		62	19,789	57	11,105	0	0	0	0	0	0
MOLASSES, INEDIBLE	MGAL					15	4,134	14	4,134	2,828	2,828
MEXICO		184,289	44,334	168,794	44,612	54,130	12,940	47,610	12,940	10,638	10,638
GUATEMALA		31,919	9,737	18,675	4,838	12,553	3,853	10,590	3,853	2,661	2,661
NICARAGUA		10,481	2,801	13,432	3,738	3,006	733	4,387	733	1,207	1,207
JAMAICA		3,878	1,158	5,207	1,394	2,980	909	1,163	909	418	418
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		3,136	1,042	1,629	476	0	0	0	0	0	0
TRINIDAD-TOBAGO		3,678	974	8,755	2,752	415	125	6,044	125	1,781	1,781
COLOMBIA		3,956	985	2,160	633	1,615	404	10	404	4	4
GUYANA		1,870	409	4,059	1,127	0	0	0	0	0	0
ECUADOR		5,950	967	6,267	821	0	0	2,680	0	215	215
CHILE		0	0	3,003	944	0	0	0	0	0	0
BRAZIL		19,132	5,809	19,367	6,123	0	0	0	0	0	0
FRANCE		6,783	2,273	14,140	3,753	8,250	2,212	3,382	2,212	914	914
TURKEY		7,591	1,620	1,161	240	0	0	3,309	0	558	558
PHILIPPINES		6,243	1,140	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
AUSTRALIA		40,110	7,809	30,041	7,921	3,463	551	0	551	0	0
MAURITIUS		8,073	1,162	10,233	1,601	10,269	2,216	4,361	2,216	967	967
MOZAMBIQUE		4,504	1,006	0	0	4,105	476	6,763	476	770	770
REP SOUTH AFRICA		3,235	401	6,653	1,673	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		20,661	4,101	18,859	4,942	7,474	1,460	4,920	1,460	1,142	1,142
CONFECTIONERY PRODUCTS	MLB										
CANADA		57,936	37,425	50,903	28,676	10,103	6,438	8,005	6,438	4,458	4,458
COLOMBIA		914	572	1,224	777	183	111	185	111	84	84
BRAZIL		5,086	1,629	3,565	1,118	628	220	602	220	192	192
ARGENTINA		3,797	1,212	3,312	1,129	766	242	569	242	187	187
		3,693	1,538	3,654	1,145	617	261	586	261	180	180

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TABLE 32 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH			
		QUANTITY		VALUE		QUANTITY		VALUE	
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1977 1/	1976	1977 1/
			1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.		1,000 DOL.
SWEDEN		1,984	2,300	962	1,146	307	398	155	212
DENMARK		1,251	1,583	791	1,003	91	290	56	170
UNITED KINGDOM		25,219	19,481	14,047	9,929	4,593	2,886	2,482	1,532
NETHERLANDS		1,917	2,178	1,396	1,481	343	239	243	184
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		635	1,002	503	1,023	114	201	96	272
SPAIN		2,486	3,194	3,403	3,768	8	482	6	309
ITALY		4,335	2,391	7,246	1,966	1,147	381	1,853	331
HONG KONG		962	1,253	682	910	146	230	93	161
OTHER		5,657	5,768	3,445	3,281	1,160	956	620	643
TOMATOES, FRESH	MLB	325,871	405,842	35,113	46,277	93,661	119,375	9,653	12,385
MEXICO		322,937	402,677	34,902	45,877	92,545	118,115	9,582	12,238
OTHER		2,934	3,165	211	399	1,115	1,260	71	147
BEANS, DRIED, INC MUNG	MLB	16,546	18,977	3,224	4,097	2,604	5,811	634	1,230
CANADA		2,103	1,148	553	213	1,130	218	273	47
PERU		442	295	118	86	144	68	40	21
CHILE		5,431	414	708	103	0	46	0	13
ARGENTINA		774	74	109	15	0	0	0	0
BELGIUM-LUXEMBOURG		1,851	350	368	63	50	0	10	0
THAILAND		745	9,971	157	2,222	106	4,668	26	961
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		173	205	46	94	33	55	9	27
ETHIOPIA		2,157	55	604	12	436	0	125	0
TANZANIA		1,762	9	303	5	440	0	84	0
MALAGASY REPUBLIC		0	4,866	0	835	0	471	0	71
OTHER		1,106	1,590	258	448	266	287	67	91
MUSHROOMS, PREP OR PRES	MLB	23,102	24,559	17,806	26,091	5,351	7,549	4,073	8,249
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		8,047	10,460	5,608	11,032	1,186	1,420	857	1,505
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		13,457	12,769	10,853	13,423	3,847	5,949	2,938	6,488
OTHER		1,597	1,330	1,345	1,636	317	180	279	257
OLIVES, IN BRINE	MGAL	8,356	7,922	37,904	37,370	1,798	1,694	8,175	8,072
SPAIN		7,695	6,996	35,907	35,041	1,607	1,387	7,714	7,480
GREECE		495	766	1,280	1,880	148	286	338	520
OTHER		167	160	717	449	43	21	124	73
TOMATOES, PREP OR PRES	MLB	59,101	82,726	10,203	15,898	14,474	9,328	2,247	1,810
MEXICO		2,797	7,382	652	1,695	687	583	157	186
CHILE		156	3,044	33	513	0	178	0	27
SPAIN		16,567	14,764	2,779	2,594	2,896	1,902	438	330
PORTUGAL		3,903	16,195	949	3,622	367	793	80	215
ITALY		31,579	20,219	4,984	4,001	9,955	3,433	1,456	648
ISRAEL		2,833	11,287	479	1,552	446	1,433	75	218
REP.OF CHINA(TAIWAN)		177	8,215	39	1,551	0	857	0	150
OTHER		1,089	1,620	287	370	123	150	40	35
CUT FLOWERS	MT--	0	0	10,163	15,974	0	0	2,317	2,946
CANADA		0	0	361	470	0	0	11	26

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TABLE 32 --U.S. AGRICULTURAL IMPORTS: QUANTITY AND VALUE BY COMMODITY AND COUNTRY--CONTINUED

COMMODITY AND COUNTRY	UNIT	OCTOBER-MARCH				MARCH				1977 1/			
		QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	QUANTITY	VALUE	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
		75/76	76/77 1/	75/76	76/77 1/	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.	1976	1,000 DOL.	1977 1/	1,000 DOL.
GUATEMALA		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
COLOMBIA		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NETHERLANDS		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
OTHER		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
MALT LIQUORS	MGAL	26,692	35,069	48,188	69,326	5,639	10,398	5,639	10,398	5,639	10,398	5,639	10,398
CANADA		6,286	8,598	7,557	13,260	1,136	1,399	1,136	1,399	1,136	1,399	1,136	1,399
MEXICO		1,812	2,437	3,019	4,123	422	511	422	511	422	511	422	511
UNITED KINGDOM		1,006	1,707	1,585	1,206	155	128	155	128	155	128	155	128
NETHERLANDS		10,335	16,188	22,000	35,973	2,331	4,908	2,331	4,908	2,331	4,908	2,331	4,908
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		4,678	4,351	9,912	9,804	1,018	2,254	1,018	2,254	1,018	2,254	1,018	2,254
OTHER		2,576	2,788	4,116	4,960	558	890	558	890	558	890	558	890
TOBACCO, UNMANUFACTURED	MLB	161,121	147,835	129,957	152,541	28,241	23,981	28,241	23,981	28,241	23,981	28,241	23,981
HONDURAS		2,666	1,551	2,998	1,877	268	389	268	389	268	389	268	389
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC		5,740	5,967	4,027	4,524	865	675	865	675	865	675	865	675
BRAZIL		8,405	10,986	6,388	7,219	1,472	1,484	1,472	1,484	1,472	1,484	1,472	1,484
ARGENTINA		5,818	3,158	2,655	1,859	508	299	508	299	508	299	508	299
SWEDEN		2,074	1,949	4,638	4,419	383	865	383	865	383	865	383	865
NETHERLANDS		1,380	2,094	2,306	4,053	277	460	277	460	277	460	277	460
ITALY		15,657	12,824	9,583	7,026	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614
YUGOSLAVIA		7,967	7,339	7,967	10,079	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614
GREECE		10,533	10,536	11,754	17,121	1,952	2,224	1,952	2,224	1,952	2,224	1,952	2,224
BULGARIA		2,009	4,743	2,024	6,560	693	1,109	693	1,109	693	1,109	693	1,109
TURKEY		5,860	4,090	4,194	5,117	1,140	834	1,140	834	1,140	834	1,140	834
LEBANON		4,937	3,867	5,222	4,925	531	635	531	635	531	635	531	635
PHILIPPINES		8,578	8,214	3,170	3,168	1,291	449	1,291	449	1,291	449	1,291	449
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		7,983	10,656	5,591	8,740	1,925	1,230	1,925	1,230	1,925	1,230	1,925	1,230
CAMEROON		457	323	2,765	2,379	42	337	42	337	42	337	42	337
OTHER		22,059	19,540	16,922	17,445	3,258	3,708	3,258	3,708	3,258	3,708	3,258	3,708
TOBACCO LEAF, ORIENTAL	MLB	88,327	78,980	75,338	97,006	16,845	14,557	16,845	14,557	16,845	14,557	16,845	14,557
ITALY		7,946	9,598	4,658	5,072	1,044	610	1,044	610	1,044	610	1,044	610
YUGOSLAVIA		7,930	7,321	7,949	10,076	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614	1,611	1,614
GREECE		10,331	10,279	11,649	16,934	1,922	2,218	1,922	2,218	1,922	2,218	1,922	2,218
BULGARIA		2,009	4,743	2,024	6,560	693	1,109	693	1,109	693	1,109	693	1,109
TURKEY		5,816	4,183	4,158	5,054	9,988	8,273	9,988	8,273	9,988	8,273	9,988	8,273
SYRIA		2,306	1,348	1,853	1,887	379	217	379	217	379	217	379	217
LEBANON		4,937	3,867	5,222	4,925	531	635	531	635	531	635	531	635
OTHER		552	992	399	1,005	67	224	67	224	67	224	67	224
WINE	MGAL	29,288	32,257	152,667	174,357	5,396	27,418	5,396	27,418	5,396	27,418	5,396	27,418
FRANCE		5,599	6,263	50,796	61,435	1,144	9,620	1,144	9,620	1,144	9,620	1,144	9,620
FED.REP.OF GERMANY		3,893	5,135	20,153	29,440	759	4,418	759	4,418	759	4,418	759	4,418
SPAIN		4,095	3,575	17,702	16,030	803	2,983	803	2,983	803	2,983	803	2,983
PORTUGAL		3,572	3,210	15,036	14,414	596	2,426	596	2,426	596	2,426	596	2,426
ITALY		10,255	12,278	39,878	44,532	1,807	7,883	1,807	7,883	1,807	7,883	1,807	7,883
OTHER		1,873	1,796	9,102	8,506	314	1,533	314	1,533	314	1,533	314	1,533

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ZERO denotes Nil or less than 500 units

MLB = 1,000 pounds

MLTN = 1,000 long tons (2,240 lbs.)

MGAL = 1,000 gallons, Greasy basis

MNO = 1,000 head or pieces

MRBA = 1,000 running bales (480 lbs. net)

MBU = 1,000 bushels

MSTN = 1,000 short tons (2,000 lbs.)

MGAL = 1,000 gallons

# INTERNATIONAL PRICE HIGHLIGHTS

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In March, the Dow Jones commodity spot price index rose 9 percent as prices of soybeans and coffee made sharp gains and grain prices moderated.

Speculation about scarce soybean supplies took hold in March as the Gulf ports price for soybeans soared to \$8.65 a bushel, 11 percent higher than February's prices. Large export sales of U.S. soybeans and soybean oil at nearly the season's highest prices sparked the soybean market. Anticipated large demands for soybean products by India, sales of soybeans to Taiwan, and soybean oil to Mexico, Iran, Yugoslavia, and Pakistan provided the spark. Soybean oil prices have recently made faster gains than soybean meal prices, catching up with meal price gains made earlier in the year.

The New York spot price for Brazilian coffee made its largest month-to-month jump in March, increasing nearly one-third to \$3.16 a pound--reflecting the prevailing tight supply situation.

Cocoa beans rose 6 percent to \$2.06 a pound between February and March, continuing their year-long upward drive. The skyrocketing of cocoa bean prices may be slowing since a large summer crop of Brazilian cocoa beans is on the horizon. Moreover, the margins required for future trading in the London Cocoa Terminal Market were raised in mid-March to curb speculation--also potentially dampening future cocoa bean prices. As the threat of drought subsided in the Midwest in March, U.S. wheat and corn export prices weakened slightly. The f.o.b. Gulf ports price for wheat declined 2 percent to \$2.97 a bushel, and corn declined 5 percent to \$2.78 a bushel.

The bullish effect of Australia's 2-million-ton sale of wheat to China was not sufficient to overcome the bearish effects of large wheat offerings on the international wheat market and improved weather in the Midwest. Standard White wheat was offered at Australian ports at \$110 a ton, the same as in February.

In Rotterdam, Argentine wheat was being offered at \$115 a ton, and U.S. Hard Winter wheat was offered at \$118.50. Canadian Western Red Spring wheat was offered at \$135 a ton, whereas U.S. Dark Northern Spring wheat was offered at \$133 a ton, all slightly less than in February.

Importing countries took advantage of the lowered corn prices in March, causing a pickup in U.S. corn export activity. Egypt, Mexico, Greece, Taiwan, and South Korea were among the purchasing nations.

In Rotterdam, premiums were being paid for spot deliveries of corn in early March. On 30-day delivery contracts, U.S. corn was being offered at \$117 a ton and Argentine corn at \$127 a ton. Among export commodities, the Osaka price of Arizona cotton rebounded to 85 cents a pound, as traders speculated that the drought in the southwestern United States could cut into 1977 spring plantings of cotton. Cotton supplies are already at a low level, and the earlier expected larger 1977 plantings would have alleviated the current tight cotton situation. India's 105,000-bale purchase in mid-March also buoyed international cotton prices.

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The Thai white rice price has remained nearly steady for 5 months, and was \$260 a metric ton in March.

Among import commodities, the ban on saccharin in the United States and Canada helped boost sugar prices. The New York spot price for raw cane sugar reached 11.67 cents a pound, the highest level in 6 months. In early March, China's purchase of 150,000 tons of raw sugar from Thailand and the Philippines also buoyed international sugar prices. Crude rubber prices remained nearly the same at 41.5 cents a pound, and imported cow meat declined slightly to 73.6 cents a pound.

Table 33 --Selected prices of international significance

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Table 33 --Selected prices of international significance--Continued

Year and month	Imported		Coffee,		Sugar, cane, raw, 96°		Cocoa beans		Crude rubber,	
	c/lb.	\$/m.t.	90-percent lean, frozen, boneless, f.o.b. U.S. port of entry	from Santos, No. 4, New York, Spot	spot, f.o.b. and stowed, port of origin	to world market, to U.S. market 2/	from Accra, New York spot	No. 1 ribbed smoked sheets New York spot	c/lb.	\$/m.t.
<b>1976</b>										
January .....	67.41	1,486	107.00	2,359	15.42	14.04	310	14.04	310	75.8
February .....	71.99	1,587	109.00	2,403	15.04	13.52	298	13.66	301	76.0
March .....	77.43	1,707	110.00	2,425	16.27	14.92	329	14.82	327	75.7
April .....	81.75	1,801	124.00	2,734	15.58	14.06	310	14.13	312	87.6
May .....	80.55	1,776	141.90	3,128	15.25	14.58	321	14.63	322	96.3
June .....	72.49	1,598	148.10	3,265	14.40	12.99	286	12.97	286	107.0
July .....	69.41	1,530	148.30	3,269	14.59	13.21	291	13.16	290	107.0
August .....	71.60	1,585	145.00	3,197	11.32	9.99	220	10.47	222	114.2
September .....	70.13	1,546	151.00	3,329	9.80	8.16	180	8.41	185	128.6
October .....	66.79	1,428	155.90	3,437	10.65	8.03	177	7.93	175	138.2
November .....	64.07	1,413	172.00	3,792	10.46	7.91	174	7.89	174	154.0
December .....	67.91	1,497	196.10	4,323	10.22	7.54	166	7.65	169	155.4
<b>1977</b>										
January .....	71.55	1,577	222.10	4,896	10.95	8.37	185	8.29	183	175.9
February .....	74.31	1,638	240.50	5,302	11.06	8.56	189	8.40	185	193.1
March .....	73.58	1,622	316.10	9,688	11.67	8.93	197	8.91	196	205.8
April .....										
May .....										
June .....										
July .....										
August .....										
September .....										
October .....										
November .....										
December .....										

n.q. = No quotation.

1/ Offering prices.

2/ New York spot price minus .625 cents duty and minus freight and insurance from Caribbean to New York.

Source: Monthly Bulletin of Agricultural Economics and Statistics, FAO; Rice Trade Intelligence, FAO; The Public Ledger, London; Grain Market News, AMS, USDA, Rice Market News, AMS, USDA; Foreign Agriculture, FAS, USDA; Bangkok Board of Trade; Reuter's; Cotton and General Economic Review, Liverpool; The National Provisioner, Chicago; The Wall Street Journal; The Journal of Commerce; New York Coffee and Sugar Exchange; Bureau of Labor Statistics, Spot Market Prices; and Oil World, Hamburg.

Table 34 --Quantity indexes: U.S. agricultural exports,  
October-September 1969-76, monthly and accumulated, October 1975 to date

Year and month :	Animals and animal products :	Cotton and linters :	Tobacco, unmanu- factured :	Grains and feeds :	Oilseeds and products :	Fruits and Vegetables :	All agricultural commodities
-- (Calendar year 1967 = 100) --							
1968/69 .....	107	64	94	85	104	97	91
1969/70 .....	103	70	95	101	163	109	109
1970/71 .....	121	106	106	104	161	97	115
1971/72 .....	138	77	92	112	152	115	119
1972/73 .....	125	145	105	185	174	128	162
1973/74 .....	132	147	119	161	202	137	161
1974/75 .....	133	107	106	162	158	144	149
1975/76 .....	154	84	105	192	195	170	172
-- Adjusted for seasonal variation --							
Monthly 1975/76 :							
October .....	126	113	102	212	193	150	174
November .....	135	76	111	200	170	128	167
December .....	135	68	108	193	177	150	164
January .....	152	62	167	188	200	166	174
February .....	143	38	117	169	190	163	156
March .....	161	85	101	172	192	178	163
April .....	159	78	103	193	199	200	174
May .....	163	92	65	184	230	186	177
June .....	161	89	74	188	214	181	174
July .....	175	89	76	204	185	181	183
August .....	176	107	93	202	207	179	180
September .....	173	156	108	198	206	189	189
1976/77 :							
October .....	169	107	102	228	200	180	190
November .....	167	120	72	168	187	198	165
December .....	176	115	129	164	198	211	174
January .....	159	109	133	147	195	186	159
February .....	183	130	126	164	207	197	175
March .....	146	121	122	180	231	168	182
April .....							
May .....							
June .....							
July .....							
August .....							
September .....							
-- Not adjusted for seasonal variation --							
1975/76 :							
October .....	125	74	119	208	220	169	183
November .....	135	57	164	226	230	143	193
December .....	138	76	141	205	206	150	179
January .....	157	69	202	192	215	153	182
February .....	150	46	108	167	210	145	159
March .....	189	119	99	169	223	181	174
April .....	170	93	96	189	225	200	180
May .....	176	101	56	175	217	205	170
June .....	155	97	56	178	205	200	167
July .....	155	83	48	199	142	181	161
August .....	151	85	73	201	127	147	158
September .....	153	107	103	193	124	166	160
1976/77 :							
October .....	167	70	118	225	229	203	201
November .....	165	88	107	191	251	223	191
December .....	180	124	169	175	230	210	191
January .....	165	116	165	150	211	172	167
February .....	191	160	116	162	226	176	177
March .....	173	168	119	176	269	172	194
April .....							
May .....							
June .....							
July .....							
August .....							
September .....							



Table 35--Quantity indexes: U.S. agricultural imports,  
October-September 1969-76, monthly and accumulated, October 1975 to date

Year and month	Supplementary					Complementary				All agricultural commodities
	Animals and animal products	Grains and feeds	Oilseeds and products	Sugar and related products	Total	Cocoa, coffee, and tea	Rubber and allied gums	Total		
-- (Calendar year 1967 = 100) --										
1968/69	113	103	106	101	109	92	123	97	104	
1969/70	120	145	104	111	117	100	126	102	111	
1970/71	118	127	107	116	121	111	135	113	118	
1971/72	125	212	137	115	134	96	128	103	121	
1972/73	140	256	134	113	150	109	143	115	136	
1973/74	137	261	120	126	152	105	154	113	136	
1974/75	109	236	145	96	131	93	140	101	118	
1975/76	135	243	210	100	154	105	164	115	138	
-- Adjusted for seasonal variation --										
Monthly 1975/76:										
October	124	223	194	119	151	130	169	130	142	
November	132	195	371	79	155	111	177	118	140	
December	123	284	193	73	142	96	159	111	131	
January	131	238	192	104	150	94	167	106	132	
February	117	268	217	107	148	96	173	107	130	
March	137	264	165	86	154	112	178	123	140	
April	143	230	220	107	156	97	196	112	137	
May	152	228	160	97	153	95	132	109	134	
June	157	283	192	101	168	111	174	124	149	
July	138	214	177	82	150	114	169	121	137	
August	127	239	209	111	151	108	106	114	138	
September	138	269	204	128	167	96	163	104	144	
1976/77:										
October	133	207	1/86	125	154	85	134	98	131	
November	124	192	348	91	153	111	139	120	139	
December	132	196	193	114	164	115	171	130	152	
January	112	266	237	106	147	103	170	112	133	
February	134	267	197	132	170	102	159	113	146	
March	123	260	173	103	155	96	204	112	136	
April										
May										
June										
July										
August										
September										
-- Not adjusted for seasonal variation --										
1975/76										
October	124	252	206	118	145	107	169	117	133	
November	146	230	315	71	154	99	175	110	136	
December	130	323	213	72	141	94	168	108	128	
January	147	200	192	69	153	113	182	122	140	
February	112	196	243	92	146	101	160	107	130	
March	145	234	178	81	164	139	191	145	156	
April	133	196	193	117	160	104	185	117	142	
May	137	256	165	94	147	98	124	104	129	
June	151	310	168	120	173	113	170	126	154	
July	128	218	190	91	145	112	154	120	135	
August	122	251	196	126	150	101	107	107	133	
September	139	262	203	149	168	75	177	96	138	
1976/77:										
October	133	226	1/91	128	147	68	132	86	122	
November	138	229	298	82	153	99	137	112	136	
December	139	221	216	112	163	113	181	126	148	
January	126	221	234	69	149	123	184	129	141	
February	128	194	219	113	168	108	147	114	146	
March	130	232	186	96	166	121	217	134	153	
April										
May										
June										
July										
August										
September										

1/ Excludes imports of coconut oil.

## Explanatory Note

U.S. foreign agricultural trade statistics in this report include official U.S. data based on compilations of the Bureau of the Census. Agricultural commodities consist of (1) nonmarine food products and (2) other products of agriculture which have not passed through complex processes of manufacture such as raw hides and skins, fats and oils, and wine. Such manufactured products as textiles, leather, boots and shoes, cigarettes, naval stores, forestry products, and distilled alcoholic beverages are not considered agricultural.

The trade statistics exclude shipments between the 50 States and Puerto Rico, between the 50 States and the island possessions, between Puerto Rico and the island possessions, among the island possessions, and intransit through the United States from one foreign country to another when documented as such through U.S. Customs.

**EXPORTS** The export statistics also exclude shipments to the U.S. armed forces and diplomatic missions abroad for their own use and supplies for vessels and aircraft engaged in foreign trade. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are not compiled by commodity and are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in non-agricultural and overall export totals in this report. The agricultural export statistics include shipments under P.L. 83-480 (Agricultural Trade Development and Assistance Act), and related laws; under P.L. 87-195 (Act for International Development); and involving Government payments to exporters. USDA payments are excluded from the export value. Separate statistics on Government program exports are compiled by USDA from data obtained from operating agencies.

The export value, the value at the port of exportation, is based on the selling price (or cost if not sold) and includes inland freight, insurance, and other charges to the port. The country of destination is the country of ultimate destination or where the commodities are to be consumed, further processed, or manufactured. When the shipper does not know the ultimate destination, the shipments are credited to the last country known to him at the time of shipment from the United States. Shipments of certain U.S. grain from Great Lakes ports to Canadian ports are designated as exports to "unidentified countries". Except for Canada, export shipments valued at \$251-\$999 are included on the basis of sampling estimates; shipments to Canada valued at \$251-\$1,999 are sampled.

**IMPORTS** Imports for consumption are a combination of entries for immediate consumption and withdrawals from warehouses for consumption. Data on shipments valued at less than \$251 are estimated on the basis of a 1-percent sample and are not compiled by commodity. They are excluded from agricultural statistics but are reflected in nonagricultural and overall import totals in this report.

The import value, defined generally as the market value in the foreign country, excludes import duties, ocean freight, and marine insurance. The country of origin is defined as the country where the commodities were grown or processed. When the country of origin is not known, the imports are credited to the country of shipment.

Imports similar to agricultural commodities produced commercially in the United States and others that are interchangeable in use to any significant extent with such U.S. commodities are supplementary or partly competitive. All other commodities are complementary or noncompetitive.

Further explanatory material on foreign trade statistics and compilation procedures of the Bureau of the Census is contained in the publications of that agency.



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